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Weather

Overcast weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 63.5 and the minimum 41.9, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 38.3 and 22.8.

The Mail Box

MAILS for U. S. and Europe, E. of Russia, Dec. 1.
FROM U. S. and Europe, Str. Pres. Jackson, 3 p.m. today.
FOR Europe via Suez, Str. Kalyan, 10 a.m. today.
FROM Europe via Suez, Str. Khiva, Dec. 6.

Currency Standards

Dollars And Taels
A Constructive Plan
The Native Banks

THE constructive scheme of the Chinese Bankers' Association to do away with the dual standards of currency obtaining in banking practice in Shanghai is likely to be adopted and put into effect permanently. It should prove the proper corrective for acute stringencies in the money market such as that which we are at present experiencing. It was natural that the native banks would not take kindly to any scheme which meant such an estrangement from the practice of old. The native banks have always used the tael as their standard, making it a rule to pay interest only on tael accounts and not dollar deposits. If a parity is established between the tael and the dollar and banks privileged to pay customers in dollars when they have no sycee in stock, and interest allowed depositors in native banks on tael and dollar accounts instead of only on taels, the situation could be made elastic whenever the banks find themselves hard up for funds.

It is not disputed that money, when it is very tight in Shanghai, need necessarily be so in interior centres. Capital cannot be attracted to this place in times of stress like the present, for while taels are the standard of the Shanghai market, silver dollars are the medium in the interior. A tight money market in Shanghai would mean a premium of the value of the tael with depreciation on the silver dollar. Consequently, with a dual standard such as is in vogue here money rates, however easy they might be in the interior, could not be induced to find employment in Shanghai as loaners and transferers would run a risk in converting their silver dollars into taels. What is worse the native banks would not give them interest if the funds are left in their vaults unconverted into taels.

In stringent circumstances such as the present the banks with the parity fixed between the dollar and tael could raise the rate of interest and attract all the money that they wanted to relieve the stringency. The solution that the Chinese Bankers' Association is offering for the monetary ills is sound and if put into effect should rob the Shanghai monetary market of much of its terrors this time every year. In Shanghai all banks must have a double reserve, namely of taels and dollars and in cases like the present where the supply of sycee is fearfully low they would find a sufficient supply of silver dollars inadequate to meet the situation. The plan of the Chinese bankers is to do away with this dual standard and make it optional for them to substitute any one of these, and also make the native banks pay rates of interest on dollar accounts.

This is the first really constructive scheme in connection with remedying some of the ills that besets the Shanghai monetary market that has come our way. These native banking institutions have all along regarded the silver dollar as a commodity and the tael as a standard, so that the new plan must necessarily deprive them of a good deal of their revenue. It was thought at the beginning that they would offer the stoutest opposition to any revision of their working scheme for their commission charges in converting dollars into taels, ranging from ¼ to ½ per mille is sufficient to pay their annual overhead expenses. If the parity is fixed eventually at, say, a hundred taels equivalent to 138 dollars, which is the nearest point we can figure the cost of minting, including freight and insurance, it would mean that the native banks in Shanghai would lose all this revenue, for under the new arrangement that is suggested, no commission could be charged for conversions. In other words, the native banks would have to make more money if they accept the fixed parity suggestion.

The situation in the money market here has been made complicated, the official rates for sterling being for some time below parity. It is hardly necessary to elaborate this point, for a perusal of the files of the rates of exchange for the part two months at least would convince any one how the export of silver had been stimulated by the practice of the banks here to quote sterling at below parity. For instance, when the London parity of the tael on November 22 was 3s. 3⅝d. the banks' T. T. selling rate was 3s. 2¾d. Again, on November 19 when the parity in London was 3s. 3⅝d. for the Shanghai tael the Shanghai banks' T. T. selling rate was 3s. 2d. On November 10 with parity established at 3s. 2 3-16d. the selling rate of the banks here was only 3s. 1d. The instances could be multiplied many times to illustrate how China banks have found it profitable to sell silver on London. It also explains largely why China had been selling silver so consistently in recent weeks and how she finds herself today chronically short of sycee.

HERR ALBERT IS ASKED TO HEAD GERMAN GOVERNMENT

Former Official Will Attempt To Form New Cabinet

LOOTERS ACTIVE

More Disorders Are Reported At Duesseldorf

(Reuter's service)

Berlin, Nov. 25.—Herr Albert, who was a member of the Bauer Cabinet, has been entrusted with the formation of a Ministry.

(Exclusive China Press)

Paris, Nov. 24.—The French press states that the Poincare government has resolved to methodically reinforce its positions on the Rhine.

(Reuter's Service)

Duesseldorf, Nov. 24.—The directors of the Krupp factories, who were sentenced in contumacium in May on the charge of responsibility for the riots at Essen on March 31, have returned to the occupied territory and resumed work.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 25.—It is reported from Duesseldorf that, in spite of assistance from the municipalities, the unemployed agitation continues. There have been numbers of demonstrations and looting has brought about collisions with the police, in which several persons have been killed and many wounded. Several members of a Nationalist organisation, called the Frontier Guards, supported by the Oberland Association and commanded by Captain Rhome, have been arrested. Delegates representing a large number of workers have addressed a letter to the occupation authorities declaring that they are ready to start work again under Franco-Belgian control.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 25.—It is reported from Berlin that the failure of the Cardof mission as a result of the refusal of the Nationalists

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Court Orders Accounting In Sensational Fur Case Involving Dealer's Death

Andersen, Meyer To Report On Transaction To Company Whose Agent Was Killed By Russian Chief In Urga

The forcible seizure of a large quantity of furs and the murder by Sipailo, so-called "Commandant of Urga" in 1921 of the man in whose custody the cargo was, figure in a judgment handed down by Judge Charles S. Lobingier of the United States Court for China yesterday.

The action was one for an accounting brought by the Fur and Wool Trading Company (D. Biedermann) Ltd., against Andersen, Meyer & Co., Ltd., who eventually shipped the furs to Tientsin and then to America. The accounting requested was ordered in the judgment. Attorneys in the case were Mr. Richard T. Evans, Tientsin, for the plaintiff and Messrs. Shoop and Chalaire, by Mr. Shoop, with whom was Mr. Mounsey, for the defendants.

The judgment follows:

This is an action for an accounting for the proceeds of a quantity of furs obtained by defendant from the Sipailo, "the Commandant of Urga," Mongolia, under Baron Urgern, when that chieftain occupied the town in the spring of 1921. The furs were in the custody of one Noskoff who, for many years, had been the agent of plaintiff and its predecessor in Urga. During the world war the business appears to have been conducted by Noskoff on account of the seemingly German name of Biedermann who, it seems, was nevertheless a Russian (p. 148). After the close of the war plaintiff was incorporated as a British Company (pp. 2, 148) with headquarters in London and continued the business with Noskoff as attorney in fact, his power of attorney (Ex. B.) having been issued on December 21, 1919.

HOME IS PILLAGED

Reputed to be a man of means Noskoff seems to have been one of Sipailo's early victims. He was seized at his home after midnight, while the house was being pillaged, was imprisoned and a heavy ransom demanded of his wife. In order to raise it she went, among others, to one Kotuff, defendant's agent at Urga seeking a loan but was told by him that he had no money. Spurred by the violent threats (later executed) to take her husband's life Mrs. Noskoff returned to Kotuff and suggested that he purchase the furs to which he agreed. He arranged the details of the transaction with Sipailo, the price being fixed at a figure which, according to most of the witnesses (pp. 33, 72, 75, 89 90, 114) was far below the market value, and the money, some $24,000.00, being

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U.S. CONSIDERS CREDITS TO AID GERMAN PEOPLE

Plan To Provide Food This Winter Discussed By Administration

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Nov. 25.—It has been learned definitely here that the Administration is discussing methods of providing food credits to Germany in order to prevent widespread starvation there this winter.

It was intimated at the White House today that President Coolidge is prepared to take steps along this line if he considers them necessary.

What form the Administration's efforts to relieve distress in Germany will take, provided activities of this character are thought necessary, is unknown as yet. Many suggestions for loans have been made in the past, but the White House is said to have taken the view that any such discussion at this time would be premature and that Congress should have the final say in the matter.

One proposal advanced quite strenuously within recent weeks was that a credit of considerable size be extended to Germany, the money to be expended for American wheat and Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover to direct the distribution in Germany. This plan, it was pointed out, in addition to aiding the people of Germany, would afford material relief to American wheat growers who find themselves without a market for their crops.

Soviet Again Demands Return Of Volunteer Ships At Anchor Here

Another demand that the ships of the Russian Volunteer Fleet now at Woosung be turned over to the Soviet representative of the fleet in Shanghai has been made on the Chinese government in a memorandum handed the Ministry of Foreign Affairs at Peking by L. M. Karakhan, envoy of the Soviet, according to a report bronght to Shanghai yesterday by the Rosta News Agency.

The note is in answer to a memorandum regarding the subject from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and takes exception to a statement made in that memorandum that previous information obtained by the Soviet relative to the illegal sale of arms from Russian ships in Chinese waters is not correct.

"The mission begs to call the attention of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs to the fact that according to information at hand 245 rifles and 48 machine guns had been sold up to October 25 from the ships anchored at Woosung," the translation of the Soviet memorandum reads.

SALES PENDING, CHARGE

"It has further been definitely ascertained that after his criminal seizure of the ships, Gleboff is negotiating with Funder and Co., auctioneers, through the medium of an Italian, Pariani, anent the sale of the Zastchitnik and the arms on board of this ship."

The memorandum then goes on to charge that negotiations are also being carried on through the intermediary of two Chinese printing firms for the sale of the s.s. Eldorado.

"It is absolutely impossible for the Extraordinary Plenipotentiary Mission to fall in with the Ministry of Foreign Affairs' suggestion that the question of the ships must be settled at the pending conference," the memorandum continues.

"Indeed, the Ministry ought to be well aware that these ships are Russian property, which were brought away from Vladivostok by criminal persons. There is, therefore, no reason why the solution of this separate question should be deferred until the conference, which will have to solve questions involving more important particulars.

ALL ILLEGAL, CLAIM

"Inasmuch as the Ministry of Foreign Affairs looks favorably upon the establishment of friendly relations with Russia, it ought not to refuse to take measures that would prevent the pillage of Russian national property. The more so that all deals transacted in this property shall be declared as illegal by the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics, and persons, taking part in such deals either directly or indirectly, shall later be held responsible both materially and under the penal laws. The Chinese authorities ought to do all in their power so as not to allow illegal transactions and also to ward off from themselves in future any possible pretences on the part of the Government of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics on the charge of connivance.

"Inasmuch as the Russian ships are lying in Chinese waters, the Chinese authorities are responsible for their immunity to the legal owner and ought not to allow the sale of these ships by persons having come illegally into their possession.

"In accordance with the foregoing, the Extraordinary Plenipotentiary Mission once again insists energetically on an immediate arrest of the ships and

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U.S. ENFORCES 12-MILE LIMIT ON BOOZE SHIPS

British Vessels Are Seized Despite Protests Of Crews

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Nov. 25.—A British schooner carrying whisky was seized today seven miles off New Jersey. The crew used their fists to oppose capture, but were finally subdued. The master declared that he was acting within the law. He had been informed that the twelve-mile limit treaty was not signed.

(Reuter's Service)

Galveston, Nov. 24.—The British schooner Island Home, from the West Indies, carrying 865 cases of whiskey, was brought in today by a deputy collector, who says that the vessel was seized outside the three-mile limit under the new agreement with Britain extending the right of search for rum-runners.

(Reuter's Service)

Galveston, Nov. 25.—With regard to the seizure of the British schooner Island Home, the Customs authorities decline to disclose on what authority they were acting. The port collector says that he has received no instructions with regard to the status of the twelve-mile treaty, but he believed that he had ample authority.

Captain Farrell of the Island Home and his crew of seven were arrested on the charge of unlawfully importing liquor, but all were released on bail of $4,000. It is stated that the officials intend to start forfeiture proceedings.

WOOD VETOES TAX MEASURE; SHOWDOWN IS ANTICIPATED

Philippines Dispute Will Be Carried To Coolidge

PEACE OVERTURE

Governor Is Unmoved By Quezon's Plea

(Exclusive China Press)

Manila, Nov. 24.—Before leaving for Java last night, Governor-General Leonard Wood vetoed a bill passed by the legislature remitting the penalties for non-payment of land taxes during the calendar year 1923.

Governor-General Wood has frequently stated that he opposes remitting taxes except in cases of absolute necessity such as a visitation by flood or drought. In vetoing the bill, the Governor-General issued a statement in which he said that his action was based principally on the theory that it would be demoralising to enact laws which would encourage tax delinquency.

The legislature is certain to pass the measure over the Governor-General's veto, and when it is brought up for the consideration of President Coolidge, his action will be carefully watched here and taken as indicative whether he intends to grant the full support of the federal government to Governor-General Wood.

Manuel Quezon, senate president and leader of the coalition group in Filipino politics, talked with the Governor-General for fully an hour yesterday, urging him not to veto the measure. His interview was taken as indicative of the desire of the coalitionists to make their peace with the Governor-General if that is possible.

Financial conditions in the islands clearly do not warrant the passage of the measure, especially in view of the fact that many of the tax-payers paid up on time and to condone the failure of the delinquents to pay would be working an injustice on those who had met their tax-bills.

The general opinion here favors the resolution which Senator King of Utah proposes to introduce at the next Congress which would declare the withdrawal of American sovereignty in the Philippines. The belief here is that the King resolution will force a definite exposition of the American policy toward the island from Congress and the Administration.

Provinces Told To Send In Taxes

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 22.—The Ministry of Finance has telegraphed to the authorities of Chihli, Shantung and Honan instructing them to forward to the Central Government the revenues of the Wine and Tobacco Administration and the stamp taxes. The other provinces will receive similar instructions later. It appears that these revenues have not been remitted to the Central Government for seven years.

BOGUS DOCTORS KILL THOUSANDS IN CONNECTICUT

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Hartford, Conn., Nov. 25.—Ten thousand persons in Connecticut have died within the last five years following treatment by bogus physicians, it was estimated in a statement made public by state officials here today.

Large numbers of such "physicians," with forged diplomas, have been practicing in the state, the officials said, and many of them have amassed considerable fortunes by bilking their patients.

A determined campaign to eradicate the alleged quacks is now to be undertaken. Many arrests are already planned.

Air Bombers Sink Battleships

Sinking U.S.S. Virginia

The effectiveness of bombing battleships from the air from a high altitude was shown off the Virginia capes when Martin bombing planes of the United States Army sunk the obsolete battleships New Jersey and Virginia. Planes effectively dropped 1,100-pound bombs from a height of 10,000 feet. This excellent photograph shows one of the bombs hitting the Virginia, sending her to the bottom.

BAIL IS REFUSED DEFENDANTS IN BIG OPIUM CASE

Five Held In Custody For Trial Next Saturday

Bail was denied by the Mixed Court yesterday in the case of the five Chinese arrested Saturday when the police made a haul of over $50,000 worth of opium at 121 Canton Road. At the request of the prosecution the case was adjourned for hearing before the Italian Assessor next Saturday.

The hearing yesterday was before Assessor Martin and Magistrate Kwan, the charge being that of aiding and abetting in the sale of opium in the Settlement. Some 645 pounds of raw opium—most of it Indian opium—two pots of prepared drug and a large quantity of paraphernalia and documents and several hundred dollars in money was seized.

Sub-Inspector G. Hermitage, outlining the facts in the case, stated that when the place was entered by the police the Chinese claimed Italian protection and a certificate dated several years ago and issued by the Italian Consulate was found stating that the place was an Italian distributing agency. Assistant Commissioner Springfield, who was in charge of the raid, telephoned to Chief Inspector Wheeler of the Mixed Court, who got in touch with the Italian Assessor, Captain Ferrajolo. Captain Ferrajolo, when informed of the facts in the case, immediately ordered that the search of the premises proceed, notwithstanding the finding of the certificate, which might indicate Italian interests.

The place was obviously one of the largest wholesale opium distributing depots in town, Sub-Inspector Hermitage said, the floors beneath which the drug was found being especially lined with zinc. Documents found indicated that the smallest amount which could be purchased was one pound.

Mr. L. K. Kentwell, for the defendants, asked that bail be allowed. The police asked that in the event bail was granted, it be made a very substantial sum, owing to the great value of the seizure.

The Assessor replied that the Court did not propose to entertain the application for bail and the accused would be remanded in custody.

Irish Free State Seeking Big Loan

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 24.—The minister of finance of the Irish Free State is here in connection with an attempt to close a loan of £10,000,000 sterling redeemable between 1935 and 1945. It is planned to make the issue bear interest of 5 percent annually and to put it out at 95. The purpose of the issue is to build up those districts of Ireland which have been devastated during the long Civil War.

PEKING TO MINT COMMEMORATION GOLD DOLLARS

40,000 Coins To Be Made To Celebrate Enactment Of Constitution

Peking, Nov. 26.—Tsao Kun has approved the minting by the Tientsin mint of 40,000 gold coins, weighing four maces and 2 candareens each in commemoration of the enactment of the national constitution on October 10. The proposal was made by Chang Yin-hua, director of the Treaty Bureau, in a petition filed with the Peking president recently.

The alloy in the coin will be 10 percent. One side will bear the image of Tsao Kun while on the other, six characters meaning "in commemoration of Enactment of Constitution" together with the image of the Temple of Heaven will be engraved.

IRISH PATRIOT DIES IN 34-DAY HUNGER-STRIKE

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 24.—One of the Irish Republicans who have been on a hunger strike following their arrest and imprisonment by the Free State forces, died in prison today. He had had no food for 34 days.

Will Export Grain From South Ukraine

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 24.—Representatives of the Russo-English Grain Society have arrived at Nikolaieff to prepare large exports of grain from the South Ukraine.

Tientsin Welcomes Lads Of Lancashire

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tientsin, Nov. 25.—The First Battalion of the Loyal North Lancashire Regiment arrived at Tientsin today.

Guards of honor from all the foreign contingents at Tientsin as well as Chinese troops and practically the whole of the foreign community turned out to give the first white British regiment to be stationed in North China since the war an unprecedented welcome.

THIS IS TERRIBLE! GERMAN DEMAND FOR BEER FAILS

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 24.—The Deutscher Brauerbund (German Brewers' Association), which is holding its annual general meeting here, issued a statement in which it declared that the prospects of breweries throughout Germany are most unfavorable owing to the constant decrease in the demand for beer.

AUTO BANDITS GET $23,900 IN DAYLIGHT HOLDUP HERE

Shroff For Railway Is Victim Of Daring Raid

$20,900 IN CASH

Highwaymen Flee In Motor Car After Seizing Loot

Cash totalling $20,900 and $3,000 in checks constituted the loot gathered in by three daring highway robbers from a Shanghai-Nanking Railway shroff on North Honan Road shortly after the tiffin hour yesterday.

The robbery which evidently had been well planned, occurred just before 2 p.m. The shroff, having placed the money and checks under the seat of his private ricsha, was on his way to the Hongkong and Shanghai bank to make a deposit. He was nearing the Boone Road corner when a tall Chinese caught hold of the ricsha from behind and overturned it. The other two robbers immediately pounced upon the vehicle, ripped off the seat and removed the booty. All three then piled into an awaiting motor car and made off.

The shroff ran after the car and managed to clamber upon the running board. He grappled with one of the thieves, but was thrown off the car, according to his report.

A good description of the motor car was turned in to the police and it is believed that the machine can be traced and that arrests will be made shortly.

Imprisoned Russ Archbishop Ill

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, Nov. 25.—It is reported from Moscow that Archbishop Cieplak, who was condemned to death at the time of the Patriarch Tikhon's trial and subsequently had his sentence commuted, is confined in a cell eight feet by six and is rapidly failing.

Soviet Will Name Town For Lenine

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 24.—Reports from Moscow say that a new town to be built in the Caucasus will be named Novgorod Lenine in honor of the Soviet leader. The groundline of the town is in the shape of the Soviet star, the intervals between the corners of the star being covered with public parks.

Austria To Mint New Silver Coins

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 24.—The Austrian government has published a decree announcing the issuance of silver coins of two, one, and one-half shillings, equal to 20,000, 10,000 and 5,000 crowns, respectively.

Metal Workers Of Leipsic On Strike

(Exclusive China Press)

Berlin, Nov. 24.—The metal industry at Leipsic is completely tied up owing to a strike of workmen in all of the plants. Differences have arisen between the workmen and their employers during negotiations over wages on a gold basis.

Dr. Judson Heads University Union

(Exclusive China Press)

New York, Nov. 24.—It was announced here yesterday that Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, former president of the University of Chicago, had been re-elected chairman of the trustees of the American University Union.

LABOR PARTY CHIEF URGES HEAVY LEVY ON CAPITAL

McDonald Urges Tax On All Fortunes Over £5,000

ULSTER JOINS IN

Unionist Delegation Will Give Aid To Conservatives

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 24.—Ramsay McDonald, leader of the Labor party, speaking at a campaign meeting in Wales today, advocated a capital levy on fortunes exceeding £5,000.

It was clearly the business of the government, Mr. McDonald said, to employ this means to bring about a reduction in the national debt, without which there could be no recovery of British industry.

(Exclusive China Press)

London, Nov. 24.—Lord Curzon begged to be excused from participating in a Conservative meeting at Southport, saying that he was unable to do so because of the acute political situation abroad and the absence of all of the other leading members of the cabinet from London.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 25.—A delegation of 150 Ulster Unionists, including 30 women, reached London today. Parties are proceeding to various headquarters throughout the country to assist Conservative candidates in their constituences and, incidentally, to keep Ulster's cause before the electorate.

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 24.—Mr. Baldwin has been adopted Conservative candidate for Bewdley, Worcestershire, where, in a speech, the Prime Minister said that besides curing unemployment it was essential to have machinery ready against the day when Germany would again be producing and become a more formidable competitor of Britain than ever. He said that as a plain man of the common people he knew the common, plain blunt and honest people were going to win a very great victory.

Mr. Lloyd George, speaking at Glasgow, declared that the Liberal Party's first remedy for unemployment was peace in Europe. He contended that the United States, the British Empire and Italy in agreement could impose just conditions upon anybody. The Empire's resources should be developed by improving Empire transport and communications as advocated by Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman in 1907.

A crowded meeting at Paisley today received visible confirmation of Liberal reunion when Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George spoke on the same platform. Both were cordially received.

Mr. Ramsay Macdonald at Manchester declared that the Liberals were more interested in killing the Labour Party than in anything else.

Tsao To Receive Sir Roderick Jones

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, November 26.—Sir Roderick Jones, Chairman and Managing Director of Reuters Limited, visited the Great Wall yesterday. Today he will be the guest of Chinese pressmen at luncheon. Tomorrow Sir Roderick will be received in audience by President Tsao Kun and will lunch with Dr. W. W. Yen. Between sight-seeing and attending these and other entertainments given by prominent personages Sir Roderick's time is fully occupied until his departure on Saturday.

Hongkong Weddings

Amongst the forthcoming marriages that are to take place in the Colony are the following:

Mr. Francis Charles Todd, of the firm of Messrs. A. S. Watson and Co., to Miss Isabel Baker, who is en route to Hongkong on the s.s. Hakone Maru.

Mr. John Daniel Fleming Kinnaird, Peak Hotel, to Miss Annabelle Jamieson McMillan, who is en route for Hongkong on the s.s. Carnarvonshire.

Major Arthur Ludlow Cruickshank, R. A., of the S. A. Mess, Hongkong, to Miss Isabella Maud Garden, of Aberdeen, Scotland.

SOME WEDDING!

(Exclusive China Press)

New York, Nov. 26.—All of the pomp and splendor of a royal wedding with the addition of the characteristic Negro love of show and color was displayed here today when Miss Mary Walker Robison, daughter of the richest Negroes in the world, became the bride of Dr. Henry Gordon Jackson of Chicago.

The bride's mother has made over a million dollars from the sale of a preparation she invented which takes the kinks out of Negro women's hair.

The wedding occurred in St. Philip's Episcopal Church, which was crammed to the very doors with hundreds of Negroes from all walks of life. Over 9,000 invitations to the wedding were sent out and every one that could possibly attend was there, in dazzling raiment and jewels. Accessories and decorations for the wedding are said to have cost G. $20,000.

Herr Albert Asked To Form Cabinet

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to participate, the latter demanding rupture with the Socialists, has aggravated the situation.

New cases of looting are reported from Colsenkirchen where 6 persons were killed and a score wounded.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 25.—In a speech at Canterbury today Mr. R. McNeill, British Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, defended Franco-British friendship.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 25.—The German Chargo d'Affairs in Brussels has handed to the Foreign Minister, M. Jaspar, a note declaring that the German Government has decided to continue discussions on the general problem of reparations on the basis of the Belgian technical studies. M. Jaspar has communicated the note to the Reparations Commission, which is at present considering the Belgian technical studies.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 24.—The Parliamentary situation in Berlin is very confused and is reported that President Ebert has charged Herr Albert(?) to form a Cabinet, but the officials of the Center oppose the idea of a non-political Cabinet. The probable solution will be the return of the Wirth coalition.

The Deutsche Zeitung reproaches General von Seeckt for putting on the same level the Communists and the Ultra-Nationalists.

The press praises the disinterestedness of Dr. Stresemann. The newspapers forecast that General von Seeckt will become Minister of the Reichswehr, and Herr (?Minoux) Minister of Finance. General von Buelow's name is also mentioned.

Lottery Agents Given Jail Terms

Hwo Wei lottery agents and conductors of public gambling establishments had a bad day at the Mixed Court yesterday, jail sentences being imposed in the cases of five offenders in the former category.

Three agents for a lottery operated at 1936 Sinza Road were sentenced to six months each, while agents at 2872 Yangtszepoo Road and 735 East Yuhang Road were ordered imprisoned for two months.

For operating a gambling establishment at 422 Chapoo Road a Chinese was sentenced to six weeks' imprisonment and of twenty-one gamblers arrested in the raid, thirteen forfeited $5 bail money each by not appearing and the others were fined $3 each. A woman was sentenced to one month in jail for conducting gambling at 31 Jehol Road and her male assistant to seven days. A priest found running a gamblin establishment at 2140 Haining Road was fined $50 and fifteen gamblers $3 each, while another Chinese convicted of conducting opium smoking in the place was fined $30.

PEKING PLANS MANY CUTS IN OFFICIALDOM

Superfluous Officials To Be Dismissed But Will Be Given Bonus

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 23.—It is understood that a special meeting of the Cabinet will be held this afternoon to discuss the dismissal of superfluous officials of the various Ministries. According to semi-official quarters the Government's idea is to grant a bonus to every man whose services are no longer required.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 23.—With a view to offering advice to the Railway Protection Bureau Major Ching Lin, Commandant of the Kiaochao-Tsinanfu Railway Police, has arrived in Peking. Major Ching was formerly under the command of General Munthe. He called on General Tang Tsai-li yesterday.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 23.—General Hsiao Yao-nan has sent an officer to Peking to recruit men in the Metropolitan Area, where there are now a large number of men out of employment.

Peking Pressmen Organise Club To Defy Government

Peking, Nov. 25.—Following the arrest of several correspondents here, a meeting was held today at the Central Park to discuss plans of protecting the newspapermen in the future. As a result, the Peking Journalists' Club was formed. A provisional committee of 20 were elected to draft the constitution and to attend to the details of the organisation.

Expulsion Order Fails To "Take"

Gregoris Soverodin, convicted in the Mixed Court last Friday for soliciting alms on the streets and ordered handed over to the Chinese authorities for deportation, wandered back into the Settlement a few hours later and proceeded to celebrate his recurrence by assimilating a lot of riotous liquor. The following day his activities became such as to attract the attention of the police and he was arrested on Seward Road and yesterday was charged again in the Mixed Court for being drunk and disorderly and disobeying the order of expulsion. He pleaded that he came back to the Settlement because he had nowhere else to go. Assessor Whitamore and Magistrate Li ordered him to jail for a month and he will then be handed over to the Chinese authorities once more for deportation from Shanghai.

Soviet Again Ask Return Of Ships

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their handing over to the Representative of the Russian Volunteer Fleet in Shanghai.

"The Extraordinary Plenipotentiary Mission expects to receive an urgent answer."

FUNDER'S EXPLAIN

Mr. Pariani of Funder and Company, 40 Kiangse Road, last night denied the correctness of the information contained in the Soviet Government's note.

Mr. Pariani explained that while Funder and Company had no knowledge whatever of the s.s. Zastchitnik they were interested in the sale of the s.s. Vladimir, formerly the s.s. Strelok. The Mixed Court, he said, had given one judgment in favor of Adolph Weingartern for $14,000 and several other smaller judgments against Col. Vladimir Ushakoff, owner of the vessel, and had ordered the vessel to be sold to satisfy the creditors.

Documents in the possession of Col. Ushakoff, he said, which have been stamped by the Bureau for Foreign Affairs, proved Col. Ushakoff's ownership of the vessel, and Magistrate Tsang and Assessor Ivanow had accordingly handed down an order for the sale of the vessel.

The ship, which came to China with Admiral Stark's fleet, was turned over to the Chinese naval authorities in January, 1923, and is still at Nanking. Mr. Pariani said last night. There are no arms aboard, so far as he knows, and if there are they are in the possession of the Chinese authorities in Nanking.

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Wu Pei-fu Is Expected To Arrive In Peking To Attend Affair

Peking, Nov. 25.—The 60th birthday of Tsao Kun will fall on Wednesday and it is understood that among those who will personally extend their congratulations to the president will be General Wu Pei-fu, Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan of Hupeh and Governor Wang Cheng-ping of Chihli.

Among the birthday honors to be bestowed upon deserving officials is the appointment of Tsao's brother, Tsao Yin, commander of the 26th division, to be Director-General of Reclaimation of Jehol with the right to wear the colors of a full general. Tsao Yin has repeatedly asked his brother to appoint him Tuchun of some province.

On the occasion of Tsao's birthday, it is expected that Parliament will take a vote on the nomination of Sun Pao-chi as premier. It is prearranged that the speaker, Wu Ching-lien, be absent from the meeting and the chair be occupied by Chang Peh-li, leader of the minority, who is opposed to Wu.

Seek Release Of Priest Held Captive

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, November 26.—The Civil and Military Governors of Shantung have informed the Government by telegraph that active measures are being taken to clear the villages in the province of all bad characters and also that an effort is being made to secure the release of Father Frederic, who is detained in the region of Hsiashan. The telegram adds that the bandits are holding Father Frederic with the object of bargaining for their enrolment into the regular Army and that the bandits had asked Father Frederic to intercede on their behalf.

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PRES. JACKSON BRINGS MAILS THIS AFTERNOON

President Taft Due Early Tomorrow Morning

With a heavy mail from the United States, the President Jackson will arrive in Shanghai from Seattle this afternoon, and docks at the China Merchant's Central Wharf at 3 o'clock. The liner brings 1,882 sacks of mail as well as a heavy cargo and passengers for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The President Taft, with mail, passengers and freight from San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports, is due here at daybreak tomorrow, and docks at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf. The vessel will also sail for Hongkong and Manila on Thursday noon.

Taking mail for Europe via the Suez, the P. and O. steamer Kalyan will sail from its moorings for London via ports this afternoon, and the tender with passengers from the liner will leave the Customs jetty at noon. Ordinary mail closes at 10 a.m. and registered matter should be posted before eight.

Two more mails will be dispatched for Europe shortly, and the next mail for America is to go on the Empress of Russia next Saturday. The first mail for Europe after the Kalyan goes on the Machaon early Thursday morning, and closing at 8 p.m. tomorrow, and the next will go on the Katori Maru on Saturday morning.

A mail from Europe arrived on the Chambord yesterday afternoon. The vessel docked at the S.M.B. Whangpoo Wharf, and is to sail for Kobe and Yokohama on December 7.

Sikh Ordered To Pay Costs In Slander Case

A Sikh named Harcharan Singh was ordered to pay $30 a month until he had paid $197.50 costs assessed against him by Sir Skinner Turner, when he appeared before the British Supreme Court yesterday. Haracharan Singh owed the money as a result of an action he had brought against Buddha Singh, the Sikh chief of police, in which he alleged he had been slandered by the Jemedar accusing him of disloyalty to the Empire in public.

Sir Skinner assessed him the costs without going into the evidence but Harcharan Singh had never paid them. According to Mr. Maitland, who appeared for the Jemedar, he had been boasting that he would not pay the costs and the action was brought against him for that reason. Harcharah Singh pleaded that he did not have enough money to pay more than the small amount he was now paying, but the Court ordered him to pay $30 a month.

Small Damage In Fire In Big Godown

Goods valued at more than Tls. 1,000,000 were saved through the prompt action of the Fire Brigade shortly after 10 o'clock Sunday night when fire broke out in Reiss and Company's godown at 9B Kiukiang Road.

Central division found a number of cases of bristles and a section of the flooring in the godown in space occupied by Caldbeck, Macgregor & Company, afire when they arrived, and through good work managed to keep the flames confined to the corner in which the fire started Small damage was done.

CHECK BAD OUTBREAK

What might have been a serious fire was checked by an automatic sprinkling system and by the Fire Brigade at the Anglo-Chinese Cotton Mill, 4 Lay Road, shortly before 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

The fire broke out in a quantity of cotton in and around a waste-picking machine, ignited by a spark from the machinery. The automatic sprinkler held the fire effectively until Yangtszepoo division of the brigade arrived and the fire fighters, assisted by the mill staff, soon extinguished the blaze and removed the smouldering cotton. About 20 piculs of cotton were damaged by fire and water.

Shortly after 1:30 o'clock yesterday morning Sinza division dealt with a fire in an alleyway back of 195 Bubbling Well Road, where two small bamboo huts used for storing cement were burned.

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News Brevities

An Anglo-American Association tiffin will be held on Wednesday, November 28, at the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits in Peking in honor of Sir Roderick Jones.

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On account of his indisposition, Sir Robert Hotung, has returned from Chengchow, Honan, to Hankow, according to a Peking telegram.

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Mr. Zia Chung-sung, a Chinese banker, will succeed Mr. Kam Chiunam, late managing director of Nanyang Brothers Tobacco Co., Ltd., as director of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce.

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The fourth drawing of the numbers of licenses of Shanghai brothels will take place in the Town Hall on December 6. Half of the remaining 196 licenses will be withdrawn at this drawing.

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Mr. Stuart J. Fuller, who has just retired as American Consul-General at Tientsin, and is shortly leaving China, will be the guest of honor at a tiffin given in Tientsin tomorrow by the American Association.

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The wedding occured in Tientsin on Saturday of Mlle. Saussine, daughter of the French Consul-General, and M. Duval, Secretary to the French Consulate.

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Private Woodhouse of the British troops stationed in Hongkong, jumped from a balcony while in a delirium following malaria last week and was killed on the ground 18 feet below.

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Mr. de Freitas, dean of the Diplomatic Corps, leaves China for Portugal on December 10. During his absence Sir W. J. Oudenjk, the Dutch Minister, becomes acting Dean.

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Mr. Junius B. Wood, correspondent in the Far East for the Chicago Daily News, has returned to Shanghai from a trip upriver on which he gathered data for a series of stories on the present situation on the Yangtzse. Mr. Wood is at the Astor House.

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Mr. Grover Clark, under orders from his doctor, has left Peking for a month's vacation. During his absence Mr. Lawrence Impey will act as editor of the Peking Leader.

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The Salvation Army in Peking plans to distribute 10,000 free meals to the poor of Peking during the winter months.

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Influenza is reported to be rife in North Keisho Province, Korea. There were 706 patients last month, of whom 34 expired, showing an increase of 42 patients and 32 deaths.

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Yokohama must be now quite a busy place. The Japan Times reports that between Yokohama Station and Bashamachi the police are "tirelessly instructing passers-by to keep to the left." This is more than they do in Kobe even in regard to the vehicular traffic the Japan Chronicle Remarks.

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The engagement was announced in London last month of Lieut. Lancelot King, R. N., elder son of Dr. J. E. King, D. Litt., late Headmaster of Clifton College, of Chilton Polden, Bridgwater, and Miss Doreen Hamilton, daughter of Mr. E. Hamilton Holmes, H. M. Consul-General, Yokohama, and Mrs. Holmes.

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The Tourist, the organ of the Japan Tourist Bureau, has quite a lot about the earthquake in its November issue. There is one article on "The Steamers that Helped." Having perused it carefully we can only feel regret that the foreign steamers did nothing but left all the relief and rescue work at Yokohama to the Japanese. But perhaps the writer of the article was not fully informed. Or— what is more likely—he told his readers what he would like them to believe says the Japan Chronicle.

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Consul-General and Mrs. W. P. Ker arrived from Europe on the Kashima Maru yesterday. Others arriving on the same vessel included Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Featherstonugh, and Mr. and Mrs. V. Denigri.

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Mr. Karl A. Bickel, head of the United Press, and Mrs. Bickel, are passengers for San Francisco on the Shinyo Maru, which arrived yesterday from Manila where Mr. Bickel has been investigating the opening of a United Press bureau.

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Over 700 friends of Dr. H. C. Mei, the attorney and Mrs. Mei attended the house warming reception held yesterday afternoon at their new home at 19 East Kiangwan Road.

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The regular meeting of the Shanghai Parent-Teachers' Association of the Shanghai American School will be held at the school auditorium tomorrow afternoon The meeting will be brief, for the grade pupils of the school will present an operetta.

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Mrs. Grace Saxe, a noted Bible teacher from America is at present in Shanghai on a short visit, and is to give a Bible talk in the Union Church hall at five p.m. on Wednesday all the ladies in Shanghai will be cordially welcome.

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Mr. A. G. Hykes returned to Shanghai from a trip to Hankow on the s.s. Woosung.

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Judge Charles S. Lobingier is due to open sessions of the United States Court for China at Hankow today.

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Under the name of the Crown Photographic Studio, the T. Takahashi Photo Company of Tsingtau, has opened a branch at 37 Bubbling Well Road, under the direction of Mr. J. Habuto. The studio specialises in children's studies.

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Ivan Golikoff, an unemployed Russian, appeared before Assessor Martin and Magistrate Kwan in the Mixed Court yesterday charged with being drunk and disorderly on Avenue Road Sunday evening He was ordered remanded for trial before the Senior Consul's Assessor.

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Two coolies convicted in the Mixed Court of participating in armed robberies committed in the Settlement were ordered handed over to the Arsenal authorities for execution yesterday.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Sarnsworth of Salt Lake City, Utah, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Barker, wife of Mr. Charles A Barker, jr., of the American-Oriental Bank in Foochow, have returned to Shanghai and are at the Palace Hotel. Mrs. Barker accompanied them from Foochow to be with them until they sail.

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The Deutsche Frauenhilfe will hold a Christmas Fair on December 15 and 16 from three o'clock, at its Club Rooms, 95 Weihaiwei Road, onwards for the benefit of orphanages and charitable homes in Germany which the local organisation has been aiding for some time.

Japanese Staff To Close Office Of Shipping Line

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Nov. 26.—The Japanese staff here of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha have issued a circular letter notifying the temporary closing of the Hongkong office of the company owing to their intention to resign from the service. The reason assigned is owing to "certain changes in the regulations of the company purporting to be systematised reorganisation but which really endanger the company's future and have the effect of putting the personnel to great disadvantage regarding their present position and future prospects."

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Bishop Gailor Of Tennessee Arrives December 22

The Right Rev. L. H. Roots, American Episcopal Bishop of Hankow, who is to be the speaker at the American community's Thanksgiving services on Thursday in Holy Trinity Cathedral, has arrived in Shanghai from upriver and will remain here for the next two months at least, according to information obtained yesterday.

Bishop Roots' resignation as Bishop of Hankow was recently refused by the House of Bishops in session at Dallas, Texas, and his contemplated work for the National Christian Council has accordingly been held up pending more detailed information from America.

Bishop Gailor of Tennessee, head of the foreign missions of the Church, is now on his way to Japan, from where he will come to Shanghai, arriving about December 22. It is expected that Bishop Roots will have a conference with the head of the Council after his arrival that will determine, to a large extent, his future actions.

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China Press Sports

IT TAKES LESS EFFORT TO MAKE GOOD IMPRESSIONS THAN TO RE-MAKE BAD IMPRESSIONS

Sam Davis Has Arranged Heavyweight Battle For Friday—At Least A Ton

Giant Indian Rassler To Grapple With Russian In Athletic Carnival; Program To Include Good Boxing Bouts

By Wessa

Sam Davis, the demon promoter, has arranged what undoubtedly will prove the greatest heavyweight battle since Jumbo, Barnum's mad elephant, which was the biggest elephant in the world, engaged in mortal combat with Baby, another of the Barnum pachyderms, which was twice as big as Jumbo.

No sooner were the articles signed for Sam's forthcoming battle, which is to be staged at the New Carlton Cafe on Friday evening, than residents of the Carlton neighborhood began telephoning to the police that Louie Ladow was making the night hideous with noise.

Captain Barrett immediately sent the insomnia squad to investigate, and they reported that while everything the neighbors had said about Louie was true there was no way to reach him under the police regulations, seeing that his building permit contained a clause giving him the right to make such alterations in his Bubbling Well Road establishment as he might from time to time see fit; and that in the present instance Louie had done nothing except to put a flock of carpenters at work bracing and reinforcing his ball room floor timbers in anticipation of the coming struggle.

Well, to get at the antecedents of this affair it seems that a huge citizen of India arrived here a few days ago on an overloaded boat, and that this party announced as soon as his feet were planted on the tilted jetty that Zbysko and the Terrible Turk along with all others of that spindling crew were but reeds in a hurricane, and that if there were any man mountains in these parts who were masquerading as rasslers, woul', somebody please lead him to them.

This goof certainly looked the part. He showed Sam Davis a sock of official documents, signed by both the chief Maharajah and the head heckwar of India testifying that they were glad to get rid of this bird, whose name by the way is Gamma, for the reason that with his departure the tide level had receded sufficiently to permit all the seashore reclamation projects to be carried on with some hope of success.

So you will gather from this that Sikh Gamma is as big as a house.

Well, no sooner was Mr. Phi Gamma Delta (in India they always put a man's surname in the middle) off the jetty than Sam Davis was hot on his trail. It seems that Sam had been pestered by a certain voluminous Russian who had been trying to get him (Sam) interested in a proposition that he (the Russian) would push over the city hall with one hand if he (Sam) would pay him (the Russian) enough money to buy a week's groceries with. Sam says there are some skeptics who might doubt this, but that would be due to the lack of knowledge on their part as to the size of this Russian, and what a tremendous job it is for him to get enough groceries to keep his appetite quiet. Sam says it is a common occurence for this grappler to eat enough every morning for a dozen men, and then to stalk through the Hongkew streets licking the windows of compradore shops.

So Sam rounded up this giant, whose name by the way is Burmeister, and told him about Gamma and asked him if he would agree to take on the fraternity brother from India in a rassling match?

"Can ketch money?" Burmeister asked.

"Can ketch plenty money," Sam assured him.

"Lead me to him," said Burmeister, taking up his belt another notch.

So that's how it came about that these mastodons will clash, or perhaps one should say crunch, at the New Carlton Friday evening, providing Louie Ladow can find enough saw logs to brace the present under timbers of his ball room floor.

As side dishes for this rassling program Sam has arranged a number of boxing matches, grouping the whole card into what he calls an athletic carnival, or perhaps one should say athletic carnage.

The boxing card will include matches between Tigora and Di Dios, in twelve rounds; Nick Boyle and Bobby Favacho in eight rounds; Toledo and Kid Kyko in four rounds and Joe Ching and Kid Manila in a curtain raiser of four stanzas—all the foregoing to be three minute rounds.

That, Sam argues, should knock em' dead.

S. A. S. ELEVEN TO PLAY CHINESE FOOTBALL TEAM

James A. Graham To Bring Boys From Yencheng For Contest

BY LOWELL UPSON

The two American School interclass gridiron elevens will clash again in their second game of the series on Thanksgiving Day. The Sophomores and Seniors took the opening game of the series last Saturday by one point and now it remains to be seen who wins the cup.

In case the Junior—Freshman aggregation takes the second game the third will then be set for Saturday. This will be the final combat for the interclass honors.

Another project along the football line for the S.A.S. athletes will be the coming of a Chinese team from Yencheng, Kiangsu. This will be the first time in the history of the gridiron game in China that a team of Chinese has challenged foreign players.

The team is composed of a group of schoolboys who are under the coaching of James A. Graham, a well known athlete here and abroad. The outcome of the game is very hard to prophesy for although the local schoolboys expect to get two or three touchdowns the Chinese may turn the tables and beat the foreign eleven at their own game.

By all the prospects at present this game looms up as a humdinger for with a coach who hails from the "old school" the local athletes may find themselves in hot water." This team has been practicing hard ever since there has been a slight chill in the air while the local boys have not lost a minute and have been engaged in the finest kind of practice, although at present they are deeply interested in the outcome of their class combats.

The game with the Chinese is set for Dec. 8th.

England's Leading Jockeys Tied For Honors Of Season

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 24.—The Manchester races have been abandoned on account of fog.

The abandonment of the races, at which Donoghue was due to ride, gave Elliott a fine chance of winning the Jockey's Championship as, with scores of 89 winners each, Elliott had four mounts at Lingfield today. However, he could only get one third place. Thus the championship is divided for the first time in the history of the turf.

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BARNEY GOOGLE By Billy De Beck

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IN THE HOOSEGOW AND BROKE - OW I'VE SUNK LOWER THAN A BRIDE'S FIRST CAKE - COME IN!
I'M THE WARDEN! I SEE IN THE PAPERS THAT YOUR HORSE "SPARK-PLUG" WILL BE ONE OF THE LONG SHOTS IN THE BETTING NEXT SATURDAY — IF I THOUGHT HE HAD A CHANCE I MIGHT PLUNGE A LITTLE ON HIM - WHAT'S THE LOW DOWN?
I'LL GET ALL THE DOPE YOU WANT, WARDEN IF YOU'LL HAVE A PHONE PLANTED IN MY CELL - WHY NOT? I'LL MAKE SOME REAL MONEY FOR YOU!
HELLO, SUNSHINE - THAT'S MY JOCKEY - HELLO - THIS IS BARNEY - HOW'S THAT? SPARKY HAD A SECRET TRYOUT LAST NIGHT AND CLIPPED OFF A MILE IN 1:16 AND THE PATSIES ARE GIVING 30 TO ONE ON HIM?
I'VE GOT 50 BUCKS HERE - CASH - SPARK PLUG WINS!
HERE'S MY WAD - ONE BONE ON SPARKY'S NOZZLE
PUT DIS TWO DOLLARS ON YO HOSS FO ME, BOSS
HERE'S MY I.O.U. FOR TEN SMACKS, BARNEY
TAKE ME FOR ONE THRIB KID!
DE BEC

YALE TRIUMPHS OVER HARVARD IN 13-0 GAME

Sons Of Old Eli Trounce Old Time Opponents From Cambridge

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, Nov. 25.—New Haven is echoing with the shouts of victory today as a result of Yale's defeat of their traditional Crimson foe in yesterday's annual classic encounter by a score of 13 to 0. The Elis triumphed over the sons of John Harvard by two touchdowns and one kick, Harvard in the meantime battling valiantly through four quarters of undying effort but unable to score.

In the other big game of the day—the traditional battle between West Point and Annapolis—the Army and Navy teams battled to a 0 to 0 score before a brilliant crowd of military and naval officers and authorities and their families, prominent social and political leaders and hundreds of, midshipmen and cadet rooters.

The big game in the Middle West between the Wisconsin Badgers and the University of Chicago, at Chicago, resulted in a 13 to 6 victory for the Maroons, the Badgers missing a kick which would have tied the score and then failing in a fight against time to register the winning touchdown.

Other scores yesterday were:
Michigan 10, Minnesota 0.
California 9, Stanford 0.

Lord Derby Heads List Of Winners

(Reuter's Service)

London, November 26.—Lord Derby Heads the list of winning owners in the flat-racing season just ended with £40,000. The Aga Khan is second with £32,000, Lord Astor third with £23,000, Lord Rosebery fourth with £20,000 and Mr. S. B. Joel fifth with £16,000.

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Liverpool 0, Aston Villa 1.
Newcastle U. 3, Preston N. E. 1.
Notts County 1, Birmingham 1.
Sheffield U. 0, Nottingham F. 0.
Tottenham Hotspur 3, Arsenal 0.
West Bromwich A. 5, Everton 0.
West Ham United 0, Burley 0.

LEAGUE POSITIONS

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Cardiff City	16	8	1	7	23
Huddersfield T.	16	9	3	4	22
Aston Villa	18	7	3	8	22
Newcastle U.	17	8	5	4	20
Sunderland	17	8	5	4	20
Bolton W.	18	6	4	8	20
Everton	18	7	5	6	20
Sheffield U.	16	7	4	5	19
Notts County	16	6	3	7	19
Tottenham H.	16	6	4	6	18
Blackburn R.	16	7	5	4	18
Manchester C.	16	6	5	5	17
West Ham U.	16	5	5	6	16
Liverpool	16	6	7	3	14
W. Brom. A.	16	5	7	4	14
Arsenal	16	5	7	4	14
Burnley	16	3	6	7	13
Nottingham F.	16	4	8	4	12
Birmingham	17	3	8	6	12
Chelsea	17	3	8	6	12
Middlesbrough	16	4	10	2	10
Preston N. E.	16	1	1	4	6

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

Ayr United 2, Queen's Park 1.
Clyde 1, Aberdeen 0.
Clydebank 2, Partick Thistle 0.
Falkirk 2, Motherwell 0.
Hamilton Academicals 0, Dundee 0.
Hibernians 2, Greenock Morton 1.
Raith Rovers 1, Hearts 1.
Rangers 0, Airdrieonians 0.
St. Mirren 0, Celtic 1.
Third Lanark 2, Kilmarnock 1.

LEAGUE POSITIONS

Team	P.	W.	L.	D.	P.
Rangers	15	10	1	4	24
Celtic	16	7	2	7	21
Airdrieonians	16	8	3	5	21
Raith Rovers	15	8	3	4	20
St. Mirren	15	6	4	5	17
Partick Thistle	16	8	7	1	17
Kilmarnock	15	7	6	2	16
Hearts	16	5	5	6	16
Aberdeen	16	6	6	4	16
Hibernians	16	5	6	5	15
Third Lanark	14	7	7	0	14
Motherwell	15	6	7	2	14
Clydebank	16	5	7	4	14
Queen's Park	15	6	8	1	13
Dundee	15	5	7	3	13
Falkirk	16	5	8	3	13
Clyde	16	4	8	4	12
Greenock M.	17	5	10	2	12
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The scales used were the ones at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. which balanced correctly.

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Note—In the account of the contest in Sunday's China Press it was not meant to convey the impression that Mr. Wilson appeared heavier than 156 pounds. What the writer had in mind was that he appeared heavier than his opponent. It certainly was not the intention of the writer to intimate that Mr. Wilson had understated his weight.—Ed

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Wu Ching-Lien Asks For Decision On Speakership

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, Nov. 23.—The following is the text of a letter addressed by Mr. Wu Ching-lien to the House of Representatives.

"I undertook to take up the post of Speaker of the House immediately after the resignation of Mr. Tang Hua-lung, who retired because of the difficulties which confronted him. I summoned up my courage to shoulder the responsibility. Unfortunately for me it happened that the dissolution of Parliament occurred in June of the year I assumed office. It therefore became necessary for me to rush here and there, from the North to the South, even to the remote province of Yunnan, for the purpose of upholding the law before the country. This proved a severe trial to body and spirit. Fortunately, last year my strenuous efforts were crowned with success by the reconvocation of Parliament as the legal legislature, after its dissolution under the stress of military power. Unfortunately, when the Constitution, the fruit of more than ten years of labor since the inauguration of the Republic, was nearly completed another hitch occurred in Parliament. Through the perseverance of a majority of the members of Parliament, however, the Constitution was completed and promulgated on October 10 of this year, notwithstanding the opposition of the minority, and the new President was elected.

"Now in connection with the Speakership, a dispute has been raised whereby the House is prevented from holding regular meetings in the provisional session. One party is of opinion that according to Article 41 of the Constitution if the functions of Parliament are extended automatically the term of the Speaker is likewise prolonged, for since the Speaker is elected by the House his position as Speaker must synchronise with the life of the House.

"Another party is of the opinion, however, that the functions of the Speaker are different from those of the House, although this is not clearly stated in that Article, and that his term must cease with the regular term of Parliament.

"This dispute has been gaining poignancy daily, and for this reason, as is clearly indicated by Article 139, this difference of interpretation should be referred to a constitutional session for final decision. I should be willing to abide by a decision reached in that way, no matter whether or not it were favorable to my views. This should be done as soon as possible in the interest of the country as well as of the House.

"In discussing the question of the Speakership, however, a distinction should be drawn between personal and official matters. It is not improbable that in carrying out my official duties I have created personal enemies, but no enmity should be shown against me in my official capacity if such enmity has arisen on personal grounds. Above all, we should pay the strictest attention to observance of the Constitution and the present dispute should be settled within the sphere of the law. It cannot be dealt with otherwise. I hope that this explanation may serve to dispel bitterness and that we shall be able to approach this question in a true constitutional spirit."

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, November 26.—Members of Parliament report that the neutrals consider that Mr. Wu Ching-lien should retain the Speakership, at least until a vote is taken on the nomination of Mr. Sun Pao-chi to the Premiership. It is believed that this vote will be taken on Wednesday. It is thought that the addition of the neutrals will give Mr. Wu Ching-lien's supporters a sufficient majority to secure his retention of the Chair on this occasion. A meeting of Mr. Wu's supporters today resolved (1) that the House should ask the Cabinet to hand over the salaries of the Members of Parliament, which are now being withheld at the request of the members of the Opposition, who asked the Government not to pay the salaries until the question of the Speakership is settled, (2) that the Secretariat should request the Minister of Finance to hand over funds for the payment of Parliamentary expenditure, and, (3) that the Speaker should issue a program arranging for at least three meetings a week.

M. Koolen Unable To Form Cabinet

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, Nov. 24.—The Queen has instructed Jkhr. van Blokland of the Foreign Affairs Department to form a Cabinet.

(Reuter's Service)

The Hague, Nov. 24.—M. Koolen, the President of the Second Chamber, today informed the Queen that he was unable to carry out the foundation of a new Cabinet.

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paid to Sipailo who as "Commandant of Urga" gave the document (Ex. G.) purporting to effect a sale and caused the furs to be delivered to defendant which conveyed them to Tientsin whence they appeared to have been shipped to America.

It is claimed that the evidence of plaintiff's title, and even of its possession, is insufficient. The furs were stored in godowns on premises over which the British flag floated and a sign board was placed, reading "British merchants, Bierdermann, Buyers of fine and coarse furs, branch from London." (Ex. 3. Cf. pp. 3, 4, 16, 21, 30, 31, 44, 45, 51, 55, 129). Mrs.Noskoff testified, without objection:

"Q.—Do you know of your own knowledge to whom the buildings and land, on which you lived and where the godowns of Bierdermann were, belonged to?

A.—The house, the land and godowns belonged to the British Liability Company.

Q.—How do you know that?

A.—I have been told by my husband and I saw the plans of the buildings. * *

Q.—Did he ever own the house in which you were living and on which the godown was where the furs were stored?

A.—From the time the premises was built he was not owner of that premise.

Q.—Do you know who did own them?

A.—Biedermann." (pp. 4, 12-13)

COUNSEL IN BRUSH

She then proceeded to state that her sources of knowledge were the title deeds, which she had read and which referred to Bierdermann. It is claimed that this witness, on cross-examination, "developed that she was illiterate and unable to read." But we think the contrary appears. The exhibit offered her was not "B" (the power of attorney which defendant gave Raskin to read (p. 96) as stated in defendant's brief, but "1," a small memorandum containing words (which she seems to have read easily) impressed with a rubber stamp and others written in pencil which had become very dim. After examining these we do not think it strange that the witness said "I can read Rusian but I cannot read that" (p. 21). The record also contains the following:

"Mr. Evans: I very much object to the tone of Mr. Mounsey."

Plaintiff adds in its brief:

"The true explanation of Mrs. Noskoff's apparent inconsistency is that she was frightened by the browbeating by defendants' counsel, Mr. Mounsey. Attention to this was called by the writer in Court * * The witness was obviously nervous throughout the whole examination, and in view of the events which she was asked to recall, and in which she took so tragic a part, this is not to be wondered at".

Mrs. Noskoff's testimony would seem, therefore, at least sufficient to afford *prima facie* evidence of plaintiff's possession which is itself *prima facie* evidence of title. (1) But Mrs. Noskoff also testified:

"Q—Could you see what went into and what went out of the godowns each day?

A—Yes, I could see.

Q—What kind of goods used to come in and go out of these godowns in April, 1921?

A—Marmot skins, leather, and different furs.

Q—Whose were they?

A—Those belonged to the British Liability Company, D. Biedermann. * *

Q—Whom did the skins in the godown belong to?

A—The skins belonged to the British Liability Company Biedermann". (pp. 3, 12)

On cross-examination she was asked:

"Q—You have said that the furs in the godown on these premises belonged to Biedermann; how do you know that?

A—My husband told me and everybody knew they belonged to Biedermann. * *

A—I know that my husband did not carry on his own trade. All capital and purchases were done on behalf of the company.

Question repeated.

A—I saw the books and I saw to whom the goods were dispatched". * *

Q—You told us, I think, this morning that the furs in the godown belonged to Biedermann; how do you know that?

A—My husband told me and everybody knew that". (pp. 17,23)

FUR DEALER TESTIFIED

Moreover Mrs. Noskoff was not the only witness who testified as to title. Ho Ting Chung, a fur dealer for years in Urga, declared:

"Q—You have stated that the skins in those bales belonged to Biedermann; how do you know that?

A—I know it in the course of conversations and constant dealings with Noskoff. * *

Q—What did he tell you?

A—He said these skins are Biedermann's skins and I am going to send them to London. * *

Q—Do you know that these particular skins were in the godown in 1920 when Noskoff spoke to you?

A—Plenty people told me and everybody knew about it". (p. 46)

What Noskoff had said about the title to this property was not hearsay for "declarations in disparagement of the title of the declarant are admissible as original evidence". (2 This is not true however, of statements in favor of declarant's title such as those of Noskoff to Kotoff and others are alleged to have been (pp. 109, 110, 144). As to the last named there is testimony that even he recognised the furs as plaintiff's. Following is from the testimony of Captain Neville:

"Q—Did you talk with Mr. Kotoff?

A—Yes.

Q—Did he tell you anything about the transaction of the furs?

A—Yes, he told me the quantities he had purchased and the prices.

Q—Did he tell you whom he got them from?

A—Yes.

Q—Whom did he say he got them from?

A—From Sipailo.

Q—Did he tell you whose they were before he got them from Sipailo?

A—He told me he got them from the godowns of Biedermann". (p. 100)

Kocharoff, an Urga Merchant testified:

"Q—Did Kotoff say whose skins he bought?

A—Yes, he said we bought Biedermann's skins. * *

Q—Are you very sure that Mr. Kotoff said to you that he bought Biedermann's skins? * *

A—Yes; I asked him whether he bought from the English Liability Company; 'Yes', he answered, 'I bought'." (pp. 34, 39)

Kotoff denies (r. 119) this but we think the preponderance is against him. For at the time of giving his testimony he was in plaintiff's employ while neither of the others was then employed by plaintiff and Kocharoff never had been. Naturally they are more disinterested.

CAME TO TIENTSIN

Finally we have the following testimony of plaintiff's general manager:

"When I received the information that Andersen & Meyer are dispatching the goods from Kalgan I came immediately to Tientsin; I went to the custom house and I saw *our* goods. "(Italics ours) (p. 93)

He than proceeds to describe in considerable detail how he identified the furs as "ours". (pp. 93, 94)

Stress is laid upon the mark "MN" on the furs. Ho Ting Chung is not contradicted when he testifies:

"Q—Do you know whose mark "MN" is? What firm's are they

A—Biedermann. * *

Q—(Handing the witness Exhibit 'C') When you say that is Noskoff's mark, what do you mean?

A—As I understand it that was the mark which he put on; the skins were Biedermann's.". (pp. 42, 44)

The witness Kooharoff testified:

"Q—Do you know the Biedermann mark?

A—Yes, I kuow.

Q—What is it?

A—What letter it contains?

Q—Yes.

A—'MN' (pp. 34, 35) Cf. 38, 79, 84, 93.)

The witness Kapoostin was asked "What mark is that mark 'MN'?" and replied "All goods of Biedermann were shipped under such a mark". (p. 84)

NOSKOFF'S AUTHORITY

It is urged that Noskoff was not acting as plaintiff's agent in purchasing the furs. His power of attorney (Ex. B), dated December 31, 1919, authorised him:

"To make effect or do such sales, purchases, transactions, negotiations, contracts and agreements in the aforesaid territories and in connection with our business as the said Attorney shall think proper and expedient."

This elaborate document of 3 written pages gave Noskoff numerous other powers. But it would have been quite unnecessary had he been, as defendant now contends, a mere buyer on commission. Nor would he be deprived of the character of an employe because he received no salary. (3)

Kocharoff testified:

"Q—How do you know that the furs which you saw moved from the godown that day did not belong to Noskoff personally?

A—Because I knew Noskoff since 1913, during that time he never has his own business. * *

Q—You said that Noskoff did do business himself; do you mean to say that he never sold any furs in Urga?

A—I know that since he came to Urga he was an employee; never had his own business.

Q—How do you know that he did not buy or sell for himself?

A—Because he told me that himself. If he would be occupied with his own business it would be known. (pp. 39, 40)

Kotoff's claim (p. 106) that Noskoff was an "independent trader", is qualified by the admission (p. 110) that Kocharoff "was closer to the business". Even defendant's agent Larson wrote of him to plaintiff after his death as "Your former man Mr. Noskoff" whom "I knew very well (Ex. H.)

Mrs. Noskoff testified:

"Q—How long did Mr. Noskoff continue to be attorney for Biedermann?

A—He was in the employ of the company for eighteen years.

Q—Until what time?

—Until he was murdered. * *

Q—Did your husband buy and sell furs in Urga?

A—He purchased the skins but he did not sell any in Urga.

Q—Are you sure that he never sold any furs in Urga?

A—Yes, I am sure that no skins had ever been sold in Urga.

A—I know that my husband did not carry on his own trade. All capital and purchases were done on behalf of the company,

Question repeated.

A—I saw the books and I saw to whom the goods were dispatched." (pp. 2, 15, 17)

TITLE DID NOT PASS

Kapoostin, a Tientsin merchant, who acted as plaintiff's forwarding agent says (pp. 85, 86) that he sold furs received from Noskoff but always credited the proceeds not to him personally but to plaintiff. It is in the light of this that we must construe Mr. Hanson's testimony (p. 128) of advances to Noskoff on letters of credit to Kapoostin. We do not find either in the latter's testi-

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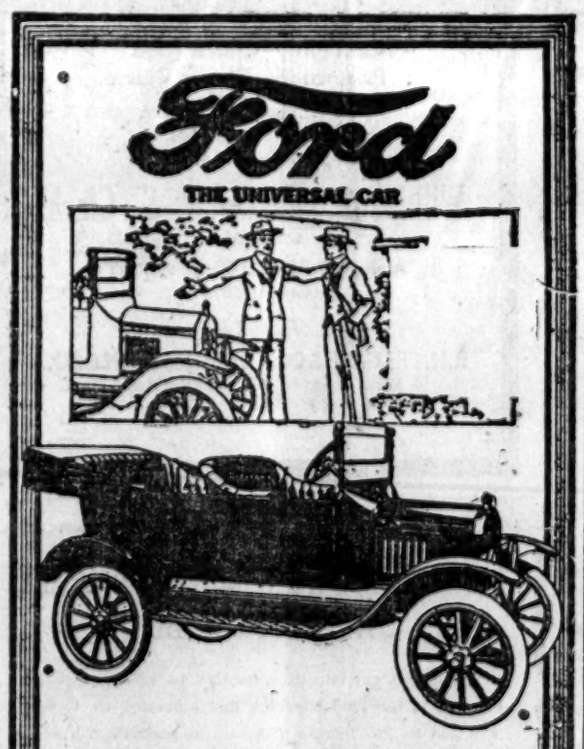

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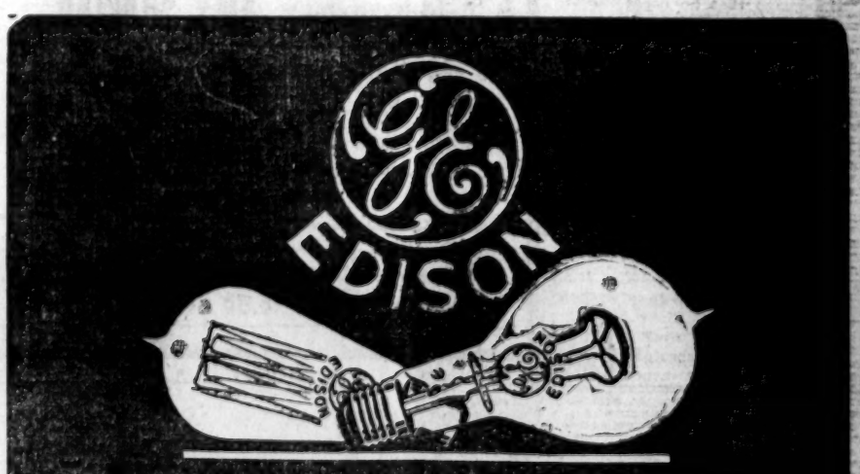

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Outrages Are Ascribed To Activities Of Radical Organisations

(Reuter's Service)

Philadelphia, Nov. 24.—The Spanish Consul returning from the theater last night found a box on the doorstep of the Consulate. He took it into the hall and went upstairs, but returned and replaced it on the doorstep. He had hardly got into bed when a bomb inside the the box exploded, demolishing the entire front of the Consulate. There were no casualties, but a number of persons were thrown out of their beds.

Subsequently a second bomb exploded in the Sons of Italy Bank where the Consulate is located, wrecking the Consulate.

The Director of Public Safety, who ascribes the outrages to members of radical cragan sations lately active here, has ordered all Consulates and also the houses of Mayors, judges and public officials to be guarded.

Legations May Call Missionaries Out Of Szechuen

(Reuter's Service)

Chengtu, Nov. 7 (Delayed).—The Federalist forces under General Liu Tsen-hou were driven out of Mienchu by the Szechuan Confederate Army a few days after they had captured it.

It is understood here that the British and American Ministers in Peking are jointly considering the advisability of withdrawing missionaries from the province owing to the large increase in brigandage and outlawry, but for the present they have merely decided to advise the headquarters of the societies at home not to send any more missionaries out to Szechuen.

Local Boy Wins Honor In Oratorical Contest

A contest of unusual interest to the Chinese schools, both missionary and government, was held at Nantungchow Saturday and Sunday. It was an oratorical contest in the National Language in which representatives from more than fifty schools took part. There were two divisions, one for university and college students and one for normal and middle school students. In the middle school section thirty-two schools qualified contestants.

Robert Doo, a non-Mandarin speaking student of the Soochow University Middle School No. 11, 20 Quinsan Road, Shanghai won second honors. By his victory young Doo does himself and his school honor and reflects credit upon the Mandarin department of the school for having so perfected a student in the National Language that he could successfully compete with students from Nanking where Mandarin is the native dialect.

The contest was held under the auspices of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce of Nantungchow.

Spanish Monarchs Arrive At Florence

(Reuter's Service)

Florence, Nov. 24.—The King and Queen of Spain arrived at Florence today. Their Majesties were given an ovation by the crowd in the decorated streets.

New Prime Minister For Bavaria

Dr. von Knilling.

Dr. von Knilling, formerly Minister of Public Worship and Instruction, has been elected by the National Party as Prime Minister of Bavaria.

Claim Turk Treaty Nullifies Harding Pledge To Armenia

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Nov. 24.—Mr. James W. Gerard, former Ambassador to Germany, presided at a luncheon today under the auspices of the American Committee for the Independence of Armenia. It was decided to send a memorandum to the Senate opposing ratification of the Lausanne Treaty on the ground that it surrenders American rights and interests in Turkey and nullifies the late President Harding's pledge to Armenia.

(BY UNITED PRESS)

Washington, Nov. 25.—Following announcement that James W. Gerard, former U. S. ambassador to Germany, had accepted the presidency of an organisation which will oppose ratification by the United States Senate of the treaty of Lausanne, the State Department here issued a statement in which it declared itself surprised at Mr. Gerard's action. The treaty, the State Department maintains, fully protects the interests and rights of the United States in Turkey.

Allied Mission In Ruhr Makes Pact With Stinnes

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, Nov. 24.—This morning's newspapers report three important events, the fall of Dr. Stresemann, the great success of M. Poincare in the Chamber and the agreement between the Allied mission and the Stinnes group.

Numerous articles and comments on the agreement show that France and Belgium have agreed to place to the credit of Germany on account of reparations all deliveries made, willingly or unwillingly, since January 11, and are paying into a special "pledges" account the amounts raised by taxes on coal and by other means, the costs of the Ruhr operation having to be indemnified under this head under reserve of the rights of the Reparations Commission.

The Temps states that the agreement, which concerns four-fifths of the production of the Ruhr, generalises the results already obtained, and unemployment and disorder can from now on be avoided. The agreement is considered a great success by a part of English opinion, which for almost a year has supported the French policy in the Ruhr. The Daily Mirror states that the perseverance of M. Poincare in the Ruhr has been completely rewarded. The Bergwerk Zeitung, the Rhenish-Westphalian industrial organ, says: "The treaty is signed. We are sincerely thankful. The workers will again have work and bread."

The Corriere d'Italia announces the capitulation of the German industrialist by declaring: "The battle of the Ruhr is ended and the French have won. Like the battle of the Marne, it has ended by an incontestable victory. It would be childish to emphasise the enormous importance of this success when it is known that the Berlin Government represents very little in comparison with the powerful industrialists who have today performed an act of submission."

Belgian circles show great satisfaction at the signing of the agreement, considering that it is the crowning of the efforts undertaken since the beginning of the year by France and Belgium, and that henceforth the results of the policy of January 11 can no longer be held in doubt.

Obituary

JAMES GRIEVE

Mr. James Grieve, foreman boilermaker for the Shanghai-Nanking Railway, died at the Victoria Nursing Home on Sunday after a short illness. Mr. Grieve was about 55 years of age and had spent the past 15 years in the Far East.

At various times Mr. Grieve was in the employ of the Kailan Mining Administration, the Kiangnan Dock and Engineering Company, and the New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works.

Mrs. Grieve died in Scotland last year while they were there on leave. His two sons are at present in the United States.

FREDERICK DIXON

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Nov. 25.—The death is announced of Mr. Frederick Dixon, ex-editor of the Christian Science Monitor.

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(Reuter's Service)

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Camera King I Will "Shoot" Big Game

George Eastman

George Eastman, multi-millionaire camera manufacturer, has left Vancouver, B. C., on the steamer Princess Louise for a trip into the North Country, where he will remain for a considerable time. It required 27 horses to carry his hunting equipment into the famous Cassiar District of Northern British Columbia. He did not take guns and ammunition, but the finest camera lenses and equipment for "shooting" big game—with a kodak bulb.

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Dr. Biederwolf's first address was on the subject announced on the cards, which have been widely distributed, "Who Was Jesus Christ?" The text which he chose was John 20:28, "My Lord and My God."

"What would you say if someone would address the words of my text to you, when talking with you? Suppose someone would say to you," My Lord and my God," what would you think of them? You would probably think his mind was confused or you would say what Peter said to Cornelius when he fell at his feet and began to worship him. 'Stand up; I myself am also a man.' Jesus never rebuked Thomas, when he said 'My Lord and my God,' but on the other hand He commended him and accepted his worship. When He did this He was either an arrogant hypocrit or a victim of a species of acute mental aberration or else He was Thomas's Lord and his God.

"Who was Jesus Christ? There is not another question in all the realm so important as this one. Was Jesus anything more than a man? The writers of the Bible claim that He was. Isaiah called Him 'The Mighty God.' Paul called Him 'Lord of Glory' and 'God over all.' John said, 'In the beginning He was God and He became flesh and dwelt among men' Christ himself claimed that He was God. He said 'Before Abraham was I AM.' He called himself "The only begotten Son of God,' and the Jews stoned Him and tried to kill Him. The Jews at least believed that He claimed to be God. Why did He not set them right if they were mistaken? He owed it to Himself, to the world and to them, to save them from this horrible murder, but He acquiesced with them in what they said and allowed it to stand, in all of its hideous repulsiveness to the Jewish mind, and He sealed His claim by His own blood on the cross.

"There are other grounds for believing that Jesus Christ was what He claimed to be, The Son of God His matchless character is a proof. Every man has some good points but Christ had them all in absolute perfection. He was the only impenitent man that ever lived. He prayed for others and said, 'Father, forgive them.' but He never asked for forgiveness for Himself. There was no sin in His life. His matchless Teachings are another proof. The heights of his teaching have never been scaled and its depths have never been sounded. His marvelous influence is also proof. The biggest proof of the deity of Christ is just Christianity. Another proof is His mighty works. The greatest of all was His own resurrection from the dead. There is no better attested fact in the world than this one. I am more certain that Christ was raised from the dead than I am that the battle of Bunker Hill was fought. There is more historical evidence. But greater than the miracles performed by Him when He was on this earth are the Miracles of His Grace today."

Another service will be held at the Navy Y.M.C.A. this evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Tomorrow at 5 p.m. Miss Grace Saxe, another member of the party and for many years a Bible teacher in connection with "Billy" Sunday's evangelistic campaigns, will address a women's meeting at Union Church Hall.

Helena Sails Today For Amoy

The U. S. S. Helena, which has been in Shanghai for nearly two weeks, sails today for Amoy where it will be stationed to look out for American interests in the trouble that is now occuring in the vicinity of that port. The minesweeper Finch, which replaced the Quiros in the American Yangtze patrol, will be the only American warship in port when the Helena sails. The Finch is also scheduled to sail for Manila in a few days. The Palos and Monacacy of the patrol have gone into winter anchorage at Wanhsien.

Many Homeless In Fire At Tia Juana

(BY UNITED PRESS)

San Diego, Nov. 25.—Hundreds are homeless as a result of a fire of unknown origin that last night swept and almost totally destroyed Tia Juana, Mexico, the gambling, horse-racing and boxing town just across the California border, known as the American Monte Carlo.

The fire quickly gutted a majority of the 'dobe houses' of which the purely Mexican portion of the town was composed and then spread toward the race track, the boxing stadium and many of the gambling dens. No loss of life has so far been reported.

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Reinforcements Pouring Into City To Bolster Up Dr. Sun's Forces

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Nov. 19.—Canton is at present anxiously awaiting the result of fighting now in progress outside the eastern suburbs of the city. Many wounded are coming in, but that does not necessarily indicate a retreat as casualties come to the winning as well as the losing side. Dr. Sun Yat-sen, however, is known to be having a hard time and his forces to the east of the city are said to be prepared to retreat northward without re-entering Canton, should they fail in checking the advance of General Chen Chiung-ming's troops who are now within 15 miles of the city. Some of the latter's scouts are very near and the sound of skirmishes between them and Dr. Sun's outposts have been heard in the city.

Reinforcements from Hunan, Kiangsi and other places are pouring in to the city. General Tan Yen-kai is reported to be back in Canton with the remnants of his defeated army.

General Yang Hsi-min, Commander-in-Chief of the Yunnanese Army in Canton, has been appointed Generalissimo of the allied Yunnan-Kwangsi-Kwangtung Army. Dr. Sun's chief commanders are all in Canton planning a general offensive against General Chen. There is still much doubt as to the way affairs are tending.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Canton, Nov. 23.—General Chen Chiung-ming's attempt to advance on Canton has been checked and the fighting on November 19, 20 and 21 was favorable to Dr. Sun's forces on the north-east of the city. Dr. Sun's party is regaining confidence and does not believe that the operations at Kaolut and Yeungkong are dangerous. Canton is quiet. The Yunnanese are receiving reinforcements from General Tan Yen-kai from Hunan to the number of 8,000 men.

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General Managers

Weather Report

Nov. 25.—The high pressures have extended over our regions and over the Yellow Sea. The Guam typhoon is advancing WNW ward by the North of Yap. Regular monsoon to the South of the Saddles. Variable breezes in the North. Fine and cold weather in our Valley and in the North. Rainy at Hongkong. Foggy in the Tongkng Gulf.
Nov. 28.—Milder and overcast weather with some intermittent rain. The pressure has slightly decreased. ESEly breezes.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on November 20, 1923.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	15-20
Mutton	"	15-20
Pork	"	15-20
Veal	"	15-25
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	"	20-25
Mandarin	"	30-40
Mackerel	"	30-40
Pomfret	"	30-40
Salmon	"	25-30
Samli	"	None
Soles	"	20-25
Whitebait	"	None
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	$3.50-$5.00
Eggs	per doz.	25-30
Fowl	per lb.	20-30
Hare	each	35-60
Partridge	"	None
Pheasant	"	30-50
Geese	"	$1.00-$1.50
Plover	"	None
Pigeons	"	20-22
Quail	"	15-20
Snipe	"	15-20
Teal	"	15-20
Turkey	per lb.	45-50
Woodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	"	35-40
Duck	"	40-50
Wild Pigeon	"	20-25
Fruits		
Apricots	per lb.	None
Apples	"	30-35
Bananas	"	7-8
Chestnuts	"	10-20
Cherries	per lb.	None
Cocoanuts	each	15-30
Figs	per doz.	None
Grapes	per lb.	25-35
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lemons	"	5-10
Lichees	per lb.	None
Oranges	per lb.	15-25
Peaches	per lb.	None
Mangoes	each	None
Melons	"	None
Mangosteens	per doz.	None
Persimmons	per lb.	15-20
Pears	"	15-25
Peeboes	"	None
Plums	"	None
Pumeloes	each	15-25
Pineapples	"	10-15
Strawberries	per lb.	None
Walnuts	"	15-20
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	10-15
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	None
Beetroot	per bunch	4-5
French Beans	"	10-12
Cabbages	each	4-7
Celery	per bunch	10-12
Carrots	"	4-5
Cauliflower	each	20-30
Egg Plant	per lb.	10-12
French Beans	"	10-12
Green Corn	"	none
Peas	"	8-10
Leeks	per bunch	4-5
Parsnips	"	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$3.00-$3.50
Radishes	per punch	1-2
Onions	per lbs.	4-5
Spinach	"	3-4
Tomatoes	"	4-5
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	per 50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour Shanghai	"	$3.80
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$3.15
Barley	"	$4.00
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$14.70
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.20
Foreign dairies	"	$0.25
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 Bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton	$13.75
House Coal	"	$13.75

E. KUNG,
Chief Engineer.

Steamers Departed

November 25
Luenyf for Hankow.
Kweilee for Hankow.
Fengyang Maru for Hankow.
Ningshao for Hankow.
Gran for T. Chinwangtao.
Fooshing for S. H. Canton.
Maolee for C. Tientsin.
Sakai Maru for T. Dairen.
Haean for Foochow.
Yingchow for S. H. Canton.
Kaho for C. Tientsn.
Kwangpng for Tientsin.
Eastern Prince for New York.
Tottori Maru for Japan.
Alabama Maru for Puget Sound.
Meian for River ports.
West Prospect for Hongkong.
November 26.
Kiangfoo for Hankow.
Likin for Cuise.
Chuentiao for Cruise.
Hengan for T. Dairen.
Glenapp for Japan.
Saga for Cruise.
Kanchow for Pukow.
Hsin Pekiag for Ningpo.
Hsin Ningshao for Ningpo.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST
Yesterday's Closed

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	H.$1,110
Chartered	£19¼ S.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$670 B.
North China	Tls. 488
Union of Canton	H.$235 B.
Yangtsze	H.$25½ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$136 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$505 B.
Shipping	
Indo-Ch'na Def.	H.$142½
Indo-China Pref.	H. $88¾ B.
"Shell"	77/6
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 80
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 52
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21¼
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	$5¼
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$151B.
Shanghai Dock..	Tls. 91
New. Eng. Works	Tls. 6 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.40
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 190
Hongkong Wharf	H.$155½
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	$45 B.
S'hai Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A. French Land.	Tls. 122 B.
Shanghai Land..	Tls. 122½
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 13
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 113 B.
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 10
Oriental	Tls. 5¾
Shanghai Cotton.	Old 76 New 51
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	$233
Green Island	$25.60 B.
Langkats	Tls. 31¼ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 90
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	Tls. 8.90 B.
Liewelyn	Tls. 35 B.
Lane Crawford	Tls. 103½ B.
Mourtrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$21 B.
Weeks	$11
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 6.90 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.50 S.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6½ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2.85 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 23
Batu Anam 1913	Tls. 1.05 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.60 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 1.02½ B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.05 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 1¾
Consolidated	Tls. 2.85 S.
Dominion	Tls. 2.35
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11
Java Consolidated	Tls. 13 B.
Kapaying	Tls. 12½ B.
Karan	Tls. 7
Kedah	Tls. 1.15 B.
Koth Bahroe	Tls. 1.02½ B
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16
Padang	Tls6½ S.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.32½
Permata	Tls. 3.40 S.
Repah	Tls. 0.90 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.85 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1.05 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1¼ B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.02½ B
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.60
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 5 S.
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.10
Sungala	Tls. 1.30 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 4 S.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 7¼ B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.65 B.
Taiping	Tls. 0.77½
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.72½ B.
Tebong	Tls. 1¼
Ziangbee	Tls. 3½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. J. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 13 B.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 176½
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 74 S.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 171

S. Sellers, Ss. Sales, B. Buyers

Stock Exchange
Transactions

Today's Quotations
Shanghai, November 26, 1923
OFFICIAL
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.80 Dec.
UNOFFICIAL
Shanghai Explorations Tls. 12.50
Tls. 13.00

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Money Exchange

Shanghai, November 26, 1923

Mex. Dollar market rate	72.25
Native Interest	35
Copper Cash	250.000
Shanghai Gold Bar	325.10
Bar Silver	33⅞
Bank rate of Discount	4%
Paris on London	80.75
New York on London	486⅝
London—	
Telegraphic Transfer	3/3
Demand	3/3⅛
New York—	
Telegraphic Transfer	71
Demand	71¼

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.
BANKS SELLING RATES

London T.T.	3/3
London Demand	3/3⅛
London 4 m-s.	3/3⅛
India T.T.	228½
France T.T.	1305
America T.T.	71
Hongkong T.T.	71½
Japan T.T.	68
Batavia T.T.	132
Straits T.T.	72½

BANKS BUYING RATES

London 4 m-s. Credits	3/5¾
London 4 m-s. Docts	3/6
London 6 m-s. Credts	3/6⅛
London 6 m-s. Docts	—
France 4 m-s.	1385
Americh 4 m-s. L/c.	75½
Docs.	76

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 73⅛ = Tls. 135.36
@ exch. 72.5 = Mex. $186.70
Sovereign: Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 4¾d. = Tls. 5.89
@ exch. 72.5 = Mex. $8.12

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR NOVEMBER

Hk. Tls. 5.80	@ 3/1⅛	£1
Hk. Tls. 1.28	@ 69⅞	Gold $1
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1163	Fr. 12.96
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Marks —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 70¾	Yen 1.58
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 224½	Rupees 2.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ —	Roubles —
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 1.50	Mex. $1.50
Hk. Tls. 1	@ 15.10	Ital Lire 16.82

International Banking Corporation
CLOSING COUNTER RATES

Demand selling on America	72
Demand buying on America	73¾
Demand selling on London	3/3½
Demand buying on London	3/4⅜

ROUBLE EXCHANGE
BANK'S BUYING RATE

Roubles 575,000	Tls. 100
Roubles 100	Mex. $0.03

SINO-ITALIAN BANK
Bank's Selling Rates

It. Lire 16.20	= 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 4.04	= 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations

It. Lire 100.60	= 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 23.00	= 1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 125.00	= 100 Fr. Francs

Chinese Government Bonds
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	Saturday.	Yes'days's.
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5th Year 6%	54.00	54.00
7th Year 6%	47.05	47.05
9th Year 6%	66.60	66.20
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7% Consolidated	54.80	54.80
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
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Exchange Fluctuations
Asia Banking Corporation

November 26, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each up ⅛d. in London on Saturday. The New York price advanced to 64¼ cents and the London-New York cross rate to 437.

Our official Sterling rate here today was raised to 3s. 3d., the Gold Dollar rate to 71, the Yen rate dropped to 68 and the other rates changed accordingly. Our market in the early part of the morning was quite strong but became easy during the day and closed week.

At one time business in Sterling was done at 3s. 4½d. November, 3s. 3¾d. December and 3s. 3d. January delivery.

Gold Dollars at one time were done as high as 73½ November, 72¼ December and 71¼ January.

However, later in the day speculators became strong buyers and the market quickly eased off closing with no sellers of Sterling at better than 3s. 3¾d. November, 3s. 3d. December and 3s. 2½d. January.

The best sellers of Gold at the close were offering 72½, November 71 December and 70½ January delivery. There were sellers of Yen at 66½ for November, 67½ December and 68 January.

Banks were quoting 3s. 4d. and 73 for Sterling and Gold Dollar bills for December delivery, 3s. 3½d. and 72¾ for January and 3s. 3d. and 72 for forward.

There were buyers of Franc bills at 1360 for near delivery and 1350 for forward.

India and China both bought silver in London on Saturday and the market is reported as closing steady New. York report their market as firm.

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association
Business Done

Shanghai, November 26, 1923

OFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 7.15 March
Langkats (Single) Tls. 14.25 Dec.
Ewo (Ord.) Tls. 12.00 Cash

UNOFFICIAL

Langkats Comb. Tls. 32.50 Cash
Tls. 33.75 Dec.
Ewo (Ord.) Tls. 12.00 Cash

Silk Report

In their weekly report on the Silk market, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows:

All markets continue deadly dull and the concessions silk men are willing to make, due to tight money, is more than counterbalanced by the advance in exchange rates as regards the European markets.

EXPORT FROM SHANGHAI

From June 1 to date, 9,954 bales white and 6,261 bales yellow.

To London 873 bales.

To France, 1438 bales white and 563 bales yellow.

To Italy and Switzerland 127 bales white and 8 bales yellow.

To America, 5,339 bales.

To India and Levant, 1,456 bales white and 5,582 bales yellow.

To Coast, Hongkong and Straits, 829 bales.

Steam filatures to Europe, 9,039 bales and America, 9,852 bales.

Yellow steam, 3,764 bales.

Wild silk to Europe, 900 bales and America 3,851 bales.

SETTLEMENTS

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Settlements for Europe, &c., White Silk	4,600
Settlements for Europe, &c., Yellow Silk	6,500
Settlements for America, White Silk	5,400
	16,500
Stock in Shanghai, White Silk	3,000
Yellow Silk	3,000
Visible Supply for season to date	22,500

Stock in Shanghai, Wild Silk 100

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N. Y. U. ALUMNI HOLD MEETING TO ELECT OFFICERS

Alumni and ex-students of New York University held the inauguration meeting of their Shanghai Club on Nov. 24, 1923 at 8 p.m. in the American Returned Students Club on Nanking Road. Among those present were Dr. T. L. Wang, C. H. Ling, Baen E. Lee, Lily W. Young, C. T. Tung, C. H. Wang, Y. L. Hsiao and S. C. Djen, Mrs. An, (Lily W. Young), chairman of the Organisation Committee was in the chair. Mr. C. T. Tung reported on behalf of the Organisation Committee, saying that there are about fifty N. Y. U. people, both foreign and Chinese, in Shanghai, but only the addresses of about one half of them are known to the Committee. Notices for the meeting were sent and the Committee was glad to see so many turned out.

Ballots were then taken for election of officers. Mr. Baen E. Lee was elected, president, Mrs. An, (Lily W. Young), secretary, and Mr. C. T. Tung, treasurer.

The new officers were requested to amend the regular constitution of the N. Y. U. Alumi Club with a view to make it suit local conditions and submit their recommendations to the next meeting for adoption.

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WHAT A BONDHOLDER SHOULD KNOW:
(20) BOARD OF DIRECTORS:
(continued)
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(to be continued)
The International Savings Society
7 AVENUE EDOUARD VII, SHANGHAI.

Court Orders Accounting In Sensational Fur Case Involving Dealer's Death

(Continued from Page 7)

mony or Illyin's anything which justified defendant's contention that the title to these furs was in Noskoff. The fact that he had agents in other places or some times used his own card would not prevent him from doing business exclusively for plaintiff whose stationery (Ex. E, F) he was at the time using. Nor do we find any evidence that the title to the furs ever passed from plaintiff to defendant. It certainly did not by the purchase from Sipailo (pp. 9, 100); for his acquisition was nothing more than pillage and it could convey no title. (4)

II

But it is urged that plaintiff is estopped from claiming title as against defendant. It might suffice to point out that estoppel is not pleaded and that it is not a defense which may be raised under a general denial.

"*An estoppel in pais*, to be relied on as a defense, should be pleaded. (5)

But, aside from this, we do not think the defense of estoppel here could be based on Raskin's affirmative answer to the question "from 1914 to 1919 your relations to Mr. Noskoff were only known privately?" (p. 149) That was before Noskoff received the power of attorney under which he was acting when defendant acquired the furs. But even then, i. e. in the years 1918 to 1920, defendant's manager, Laarson, was in Urga (p. 124), and knew Noskoff as plaintiff's "man" and "how its business in Mongolia was conducted" (Ex. H.)

But Larson was not the only agent of defendant with notice of Noskoff's status. Kotoff, who represented defendant in Urga and acquired the furs for it, had known Noskoff as early as 1910 as Biedermann's employe. (p. 106) For about a year before the acquisition Kotoff had seen the British flag over the premises where the furs were stored and had not seen Noskoff's name there. (p. 109) Of 121, 122.) Others, as we have seen observed also the sign board with Biedermann's firm name. (pp. 34. 35) and we have discussed the testimony of others that Kotoff admitted that he had bought plaintiff's furs.

Now this knowledge of defendant's agents was its knowledge.

"It is a well settled general rule that a principal is affected with constructive knowledge, regardless of his actual knowledge, of all material facts of which his agent receives notice or acquires knowledge while acting in the course of his employment and within the scope of his authority, although the agent does not in fact inform his principal thereof". (6)

WAS ONLY AGENT

Knowing that Noskoff was merely plaintiff's agent defendant could not have relied upon his authority to dispose of these furs at prices much below their value. But

"It is an essential element of equitable estoppel that the person invoking it has been influenced by and has relied on the representation of conduct of the person sought to be estopped". (7)

But the conclusive answer to any claim of estoppel on account of Noskoff is that defendant never dealt with him. The furs were acquired not from Noskoff but from the assassin Sipailo (pp. 9, 10, 100 113, 114) who signed and sealed the document of sale (Ex. G.). It is true that Mrs. Noskoff first brought the matter to Kotoff's attention but she did this in asking for a loan (pp. 52, 56, 111) and she "thought the goods would be turned back and they will be taken as on a pledge". (p. 26) Kotoff admits (p. 113) that the deal was arranged between himself and Sipailo and that he did not see Mrs. Noskoff thereafter. She pointed out the goods under compulsion from Sipailo (p. 26) but there was no pretense of negotiation with her nor that she had authority to sell. And all this time Noskoff himself was *excomunicado*. His own wife never saw him alive after he had been incarcerated (p. 27).

III

It is urged that plaintiff has an adequate remedy in an action for damages and is, therefore, not entitled to an accounting. But the latter is not exclusively an equitable remedy; there was a common law action of account which is still available concurrently with other common law actions, and concurrently with Equity.

"In matters of account the jurisdiction in equity is concurrent with that at law. The object in either case is the recovery of a money judgment. The result sought is the same; the methods are different. (8)

"Where it is evident that, under the machinery of a court of law, great difficulties would attend the statement of an account, courts of equity have a jurisdiction concurrent with courts of law." (9)

This court, moreover, is expressly empowerd to apply "the common law" including, of course, its remedies, whenever the "laws (statutes) of the United States * * are deficient in the provisions necessary * * to furnish suitable remedies." (10) Nor, since its procedure was long afterward fixed as that "of the consular courts," (11) is it clear that the rule of adequacy prescribed in the Judiciary Act (12) is to be strictly applied here. In any case.

"The mere fact of the existence of a legal remedy which may be made available is not a sufficient objection to the more convenient remedy in equity, and in many cases the latter court assumes jurisdiction on the ground of the greater convenience and adaptability of its peculiar machinery. * * This jurisdiction has been upheld, even admitting the remedy at law to be perfect and complete." (13)

Nor is the legal remedy always restricted to legal relations; it may be applied e. g. to compel an accounting by a trustee. (14)

FRAUD NOT ALLEGED

It is true that the complaint does not expressly allege fraud. But it does allege that, "the defendants wrongfully took and detained the above skins," etc., (par. 5) and we are disposed to agree with plaintiff's counsel that Sipailo, by his forcible seizure of the furs, raised in plaintiff's favor a constructive trust, (15) which may be enforced as against one who, like defendant, acquired them with notice. (16)

For we think it clear that these furs were traced into the hands of the defendant. Its agent Kotoff admits, (pp. 122, 123) that he took delivery of them (cf. pp. 100, 119) and that they were all sent in one lot from Urga to Tientsin where plaintiff's manager Raskin found and identified them (p. 93). Being perishable, plaintiff consented that defendant might dispose of them, pending the outcome of this proceeding, but that, we think, merely continued the trust and caused it to attach to the proceeds of the sale. Such being the case it would seem that defendant is under obligation to account for at least the net proceeds and it is therefore unnecessary to resolve at this time defendant's contention that the proof as to value is insufficient. Plaintiff being entitled to an accounting may claim the profits of the transaction regardless of the market value at the time of the conversion.

It is accordingly considered and decreed that within thirty days from this date, defendant file with the Clerk of this Court a complete and detailed account under oath of all furs and skins acquired from said Sipailo and belonging to plaintiff, setting forth the items of sale and to whom, the amounts received therefor and the necessary and legitimate expenses of marketing. Plaintiff will then be given an opportunity to except to the account and to call witnesses if necessary to support of such exception but if no exception is filed within ten days after the filing of the account, final decree will be rendered thereon.

BY THE COURT
CHARLES S. LOBINGIER
Judge.

(1) Greenleaf, Evidence (Wigmore's Ed.) I, 129.

(2) Greenleaf, Evidence (Wigmore's Ed.) I, p. 239.

(3) Aga v. Harbach, 127 Ia. 144, 102 N. W. 833 and cases cited.

(4) Mass. Blackie v. Lurvey, 101 Mass, 344, 3 Am. Rep. 366. Mich. Morgan v. Hodges, 89 Mich., 404, 50 N.W. 876, 15 L. R. A. 438.

Mo. Wilson v. Crocket, 43 Mo, 216, 97 Am. Dec. 387; Kocn v. Branch, 44 Mo, 542, 100 Am. Dec. 324.

N. Y. Bassett v. Spofford, 45 N. Y. 387, 6 Am. Rep. 101; Newton v. Porter, 69 N. Y. 133, 25 Am. Rep. 152; Soltau v. Gerdau, 119 N. Y. 380, 23 N. E. 864, 16 A. S. R. 843; Schmidt v. Simpson, 204 N. Y. 434, 97 N. E. 966.

Vt. Courtis v. Cane, 32 Vt. 232, 76 Am. Dec. 174.

(5) Encyc. Pl. and Pr. 1, 843, citing numerous authorities; Corpus Juris, XXI. 1243.

(6) Corpus Juris, II, 859.

(7) Id., XXI, 1136.

(8) Balfour v. Bank, 156 Fed., 500.

(9) Fechteler v. Palm, 133 Fed., 462.

(10) Act of June 30, 1906, 34 U. S. Stats. at Large, Seas. I, Ch. 3934, sec. 4.

(11) Id., sec. 5.

(12) Act of Congress of September 24, 1789, 1 U. S. Stats. at Large, Ch. 20, p. 73, 616, Rev. Stats. sec. 723.

(13) Corpus Juris, I, 615, 616. "This case involves contract and mutual accounting, and the entire transactions of two large mercantile establishments must be examined, and accounts compared." Fechteler v. Palm Bros. & Co., 133 Fed., 462.

(14) McLean v. Wade, 53 Pa. 146; Dennison v. Goehring, 7 p., 175, 47 Am. Dec. 585.

(15) Neb. Neb. Nat. Bank v. Johnson, 51 Neb. 546, 71 N. W. 294; Cf. Lamb v. Rooney, 72 Neb. 322, 100 N. W. 410.

N. Y. Newton v. Porter, 69 N. Y. 133, 25 Am. Rep. 152; Lightfoot v. Davis, 198 N. Y. 261, 91 N. E. 582.

(16) Union Pac. R. Co. v. McAlpine, 129 U. S. 305, 9 Sup. Ct. 286, 32 L. ed. 673; Carpenter v. McBride, 3 Fla. 292, 52 Am. Dec. 379.

De Valera's Son Is "Carrying On"

Now that Eamonn de Valera, self-styled "President of the Irish Republic," is held in prison by the Free State authorities, his little son is carrying on in his place and is shown here reading a message from his father to a Republican meeting in O'Connell Street, in Dublin.

Frenchman Honored With Papal Order

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, Nov. 25.—The Pope has conferred the Grand Cordon of the Order of Pius IX on Senator Jonnart, the French Ambassador to the Vatican.

Two Exchange Shops Raided By Robbers

Two armed robberies in which exchange shops were held up and robbed occured on Sunday night, according to reports made to the police yesterday. About 7 o'clock Sunday evening three men, all armed with pistols, robbed a shop at 425-6 East Hanbury Road and escaped with $70. An hour later several men robbed another exchange shop at 677 East Yuhang Road, escaping with $22. No alarm was raised, no shots were fired, and no arrests have been made.

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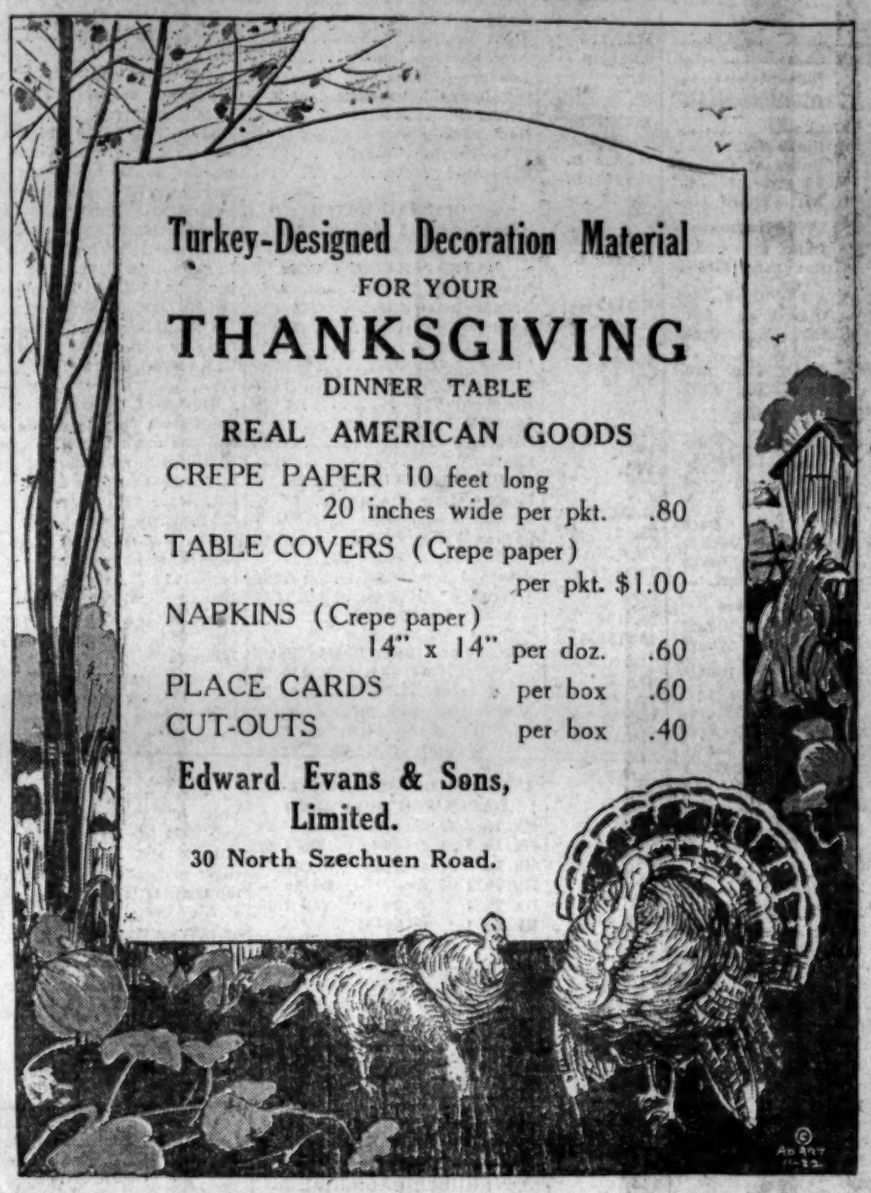

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Business and Official Notices

NOTIFICATION

Shareholders of WING TAI VO TOBACCO CORPORATION are hereby notified that the Third Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the Corporation will be held on Monday, December 31st, 1923, at 2 p.m. at the Registered Office, 233 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai, to transact its ordinary business as to receiving reports from the Board of Directors and Supervisors, passing accounts, declaring a dividend if thought fit, electing new officers, etc. Proxies if any should be sent to reach the Secretary not later than noon, Saturday, December 29th, 1923.

By Order,
J. C. CHENG
Secretary

Shanghai, Nov. 27th, 1923.

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Hankow and Ports

The Hoong On S. N. Co's Steamer "TEH-HSING", Captain T. S. Chia, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund, Nantao, on Tuesday the 27th Nov. at about 12 o'clock (midnight). Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, $40 single and $60 return. For Freight or Passage apply to office of the Company, Telephones Freight 1520 Passage 3283.

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DRS. ISENMAN & SMITH of No. 11, Kiukiang Road, wish to announce that after December 1st their offices will be located on the eighth floor of the North-China Daily News Building, No. 17 The Bund.

Dr. & Mrs. Isenman wish to announce the change of their address to the Astor House.

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Whangpoo Conservancy Board

Notification No. 136.

TENDERS FOR VARIOUS MATERIALS.

Tenders are hereby invited for ROPE, PAINTS, CLEANSING MATERIALS, PACKING, LUBRICANTS, OIL FUEL, CHEMICALS, METALS, TOOLS and SUNDRIES for the Board's Yard at Chang Wah Pang for six months from 1st January to 30th June 1924 to be delivered as per instructions.

Particulars of requirements and list of materials required can be obtained at the Office of the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, 6 Kiukiang Road.

Tenders, marked "TENDER FOR MATERIAL" and addressed to the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, should state the manufacturer of each article and must be sent in before noon, December 11th 1923.

The Board do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserve the right to place the contract for any separate article with any one of the tenderers.

SHANGHAI, 26th November, 1923.

(Signed) Herbert Chatley
For Engineer-in-Chief.

63712 N 28

In the American Consular Court for the District of Shanghai, China

In re Last Will and Testament of HENRY GEORGE TALCOTT, Deceased.	Estate No. 38 NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of Henry George Talcott deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before May 6, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

Richard B. Irving, Executor,
c/o Palace Hotel,
Shanghai, China.

November 6, 1923.

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In the United States Court for China

In re Estate of WILLIAM HARRY LOWE, Deceased.	Cause No. 2347 Estate No. 532 NOTICE

Pursuant to an Order of said Court, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against the estate of WILLIAM HARRY LOWE, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers, to the undersigned on or before May 20, 1924, and all persons owing debts to said deceased are hereby notified to make payment of the same in due course to the undersigned.

IRENE W. LOWE,
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Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai

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The "Conseil d'Administration Municipale de la Concession Francaise de Changhai" hereby invite subscriptions for 8.000 debentures of Tls. 100 each, issued at Tls. 97 each according to the resolution passed at their General Meeting on the 14th May 1923.

The conditions on which the Debenture Certificates will be issued are:

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5°.—The Debenture Certificates will be issued and bear interest from 1st July 1923.

6°.—Applications for Debentures will be received at the Secretary's Office, Rue du Consulat, from June 20 next. A cheque representing the amount of debentures asked for and payable on June 30th must be deposited at the same time.

7°.—Applications for Debentures under 97 will not be recognised by the Council.

8°.—For further informations, apply to Mr. P. Legendre, Secretary, French Municipal Council.

Shanghai, 31st May 1923.

By Order,

P. LEGENDRE
Secretary.

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Notification No. 338.

INVITATION OF TENDERS
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LOCOMOTIVE BOILERS (221-1).

The public is hereby notified that, with the approval of the Ministry of Communications, tenders are hereby invited for the SUPPLY OF C.I.F. CHENTANGCHUANG

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By order of the Ministry of Communications those wishing to submit tenders are required to make a deposit of Eight Hundred Dollars ($800.00), Tientsin Local Currency, which will be returned to the respective tenders after the selection of the tender.

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Tenders must be signed, sealed with sealing wax, marked on the outside of envelope "TENDER FOR LOCOMOTIVE BOILERS" and addressed to the Managing Director, Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration, Tientsin, Hopei; the same must reach the Administration, Hopei, upon payment of the 2 o'clock noon on the 29th February 1924 and will be opened in public at 3.00 p.m. on the same day.

Tender Forms attached with full particulars and Blue Prints may be obtained from the Head Office of the Administration, Tientsin, Hopei, upon payment of the above mentioned tender deposit.

No tender will be entertained unless presented with the time stated and made on the Forms supplied by the Administration. The Administration does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender and reserves the right to divide the order into lots.

(*Signed*) SUN FUNGTSAO,
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Tientsin, 22nd November, 1923. 63693 D 2

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The Arms Cases

WITH the conclusion of the *causes celebres* in which Captain L. D. Kearny was charged with conspiracy to import arms and munitions of war into China, comes into effect some interesting case law on the subject. It has been a matter for considerable doubt as to whether or no Americans in China were liable to punishment for such dealings, and the various schools of thought on the subject were very sharply divided.

From the manner in which the charges were framed and the cases fought, it is clear that there was at one time sufficient ground for believing that the Treaty provision dealing with the importation of arms and ammunition was inoperative in that it merely described an offense without prescribing the punishment therefor. To meet such a state of affairs, the District Attorney, who is to be congratulated on the fight he put up and the manner in which he presented his cases, apparently decided to proceed on the hypothesis that inasmuch as the evidence showed more than one person in the two deals brought before the Court, a charge of conspiracy, for which the law does provide punishment offered better opportunities for securing the punishment of the defendant, than a prosecution based merely upon the provisions of the Treaties quoted in support of the charge.

We are not disposed at this juncture to consider in any great detail the various important phases through which the matter went before Capt. Kearny was ultimately placed on trial. But we think a tribute should be paid to Judge Lobingier for the intensely interesting and able judgment which he rendered in the preliminary stages of the fight, and to Mr. Cornell S. Franklin for the able manner in which he defended his client. These three gentlemen have this to their credit, that though two were representing opposing interests, and the Judge had to decide between them, they have established once and for all the legal position of Americans with regard to the trade in contraband of war.

But there is a local aspect to the case which cannot be here overlooked. When the cases were commenced public opinion was very much inclined to look on the whole matter as one which would not be driven to a logical conclusion, that Capt. Kearny would never be brought to trial and the sensation caused by the issuance of a warrant for his arrest would be the first and last to be heard of the important issues that were raised when the District Attorney took his first step towards doing all that his office could to put a stop to these practices. That these opinions were incorrect the carrying of the trials to their legal conclusion sufficiently indicates and newspaper men who were in continual touch with the authorities can vouch for it that at no time was there any sign that defendant would be relieved of the necessity of answering the charges made against him.

That there are hiatuses in the law on the subject is apparent from the way the case was brought, and there certainly was room for the belief that Americans could indulge on this contraband traffic with impunity. That the local authorities were able by considerable legal adroitness to surmount the difficulties presented by the incomplete state of the law on the subject, is a tribute to the personnel of the District Attorney's office. But it is by no means quite so satisfactory as would appear on the face of it. At the most it would seem that it is possible in certain circumstances to convict a person for this illicit trade, and to that extent the decision of Judge Lobingier tends to establish important case law on the subject. Yet we venture to hope that steps will be taken to secure the enactment of such legislation by Congress as will place it beyond all shadow of doubt that this importation of arms and ammunitions is absolutely contrary to express provisions of the law, and at the same time provide ample penalty for the substantive offense.

From a lay point of view we cannot but express our approval of the result reached in the case. We have seen too much of the results of illicit dealing in arms not to welcome any development which will make this traffic more difficult to follow, or entail greater certainty of punishment following apprehension of those engaged in it. Possibly if no arms and ammunition were imported into China there would be almost as much disorder as there is today, and to that degree dealers in contraband may not be contributing to any great extent to present unrest, but in these present days of insecurity the fewer weapons imported into China the greater security of China as a whole and the foreigner in particular.

The Value Of Soochow Creek

FEW residents of Shanghai who stroll across the Garden bridge and note the collection of native craft below with their open exhibitions of the simple family lives of the boatmen, realise the importance of this street to the commercial and industrial welfare of Shanghai and surrounding country. In the first place it is Shanghai's main water connection with the most prosperous parts of Southern Kiangsu Province. The products of Soochow and Wusih and other towns along the Grand Canal largely reach Shanghai by this route. It provides the various mills in the central and western districts and Chapei with a water front and means of access to the Whangpoo River and the sea so that small lighters can transport cargo from or to ocean ships or wharves on the Whangpoo with the minimum of expense.

In this way the Soochow Creek adds some *ten miles of water frontage* in Shanghai to that of the Whangpoo. The mouth of Soochow Creek provides a harbor for small craft which is very important but which is already inadequate to meet the demands of this rapidly growing port. Chinese farmers for a distance of at least five miles on each side of the Creek depend to some extent upon it for irrigation. The whole country is cut up with irrigation canals which in addition to serving for sampan navigation, are fed from the creek. And in addition to these factors, the creek has a considerable influence on the tidal capacity of the Whangpoo inasmuch as the good volume of water which enters the Soochow Creek is roughly 40 million cubic feet at spring tide.

All of these factors serve to show the vital importance of this waterway both to Chinese and foreign interests in Shanghai and to the great Chinese interests in the country surrounding. Therefore the urgent necessity for finding out just what is blocking its improvement. In these columns last week in discussions of this subject it was shown that earnest efforts have been made for practically five years to bring about the dredging and improvement of this waterway but without success, and as a result the stream has become so silted up that it is almost useless at low tide for navigation purposes. If the matter of improvement is permitted to drift as has been the case in the past, the important traffic which for many years has been accustomed to using this stream will be forced to adopt the much longer water routes via the Teng Hu, Tien Shan Hu and the Whangpoo river, or via Chang Shu or Tai Tsang to the Yangtsze. The roundabout Yangtsze route of course would not be available for small craft so the only other alternative is the railway which cannot compete with water transport for the general class of low priced food and other native products which come to Shanghai from the southern district of Kiangsu Province comprising about 30 percent of the basin of the Whangpoo River.

In previous discussions of this subject in *The China Press* it has been pointed out that Soochow Creek, although it flows through the foreign settlement, is under Chinese jurisdiction. Therefore the foreign interests in Shanghai up to the present have been precluded from undertaking the important matter of improving the stream because of the cry of infringement of China's sovereign rights which is always raised and this in spite of the fact that Chinese interests are suffering because of the silting up of the stream far more than are the foreign interests. It is true that the Chinese authorities have created a native conservancy body known as the Woosung Kiang Conservancy Commission for the purpose of improving the waterway, but this body has done little on account of lack of funds. Therefore the matter narrows down to the old story of the dog in the manger.

The only body qualified to undertake the improvement of Soochow Creek and the bringing of that important stream back to its original status, is the Whangpoo Conservancy Board, an organisation composed of the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, the Shanghai Commissioner of Customs and the Harbor Master. This body which was created in 1912 for the purpose of the administration of the Whangpoo Conservancy derives its authority from the Chinese Government. Its financial support comes from certain percentages of the customs duties and it also receives an income from the sale of reclaimed lands along the shores of the Whangpoo.

Mr. Hsu Yuan, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs at Shanghai, who is a member of the Whangpoo Conservancy Board has recently published a pamphlet on the problem of Soochow Creek which shows a way out of the difficulty and a saving of face on the part of the native Woosung Kiang Conservancy Commission at the same time. It seems that the Whangpoo Conservancy Board has a fund of some Tls. 500,000 on hand which has been derived from the shenko fees or in other words the sale of reclaimed lands along the Whangpoo River. The estimated cost of improving the Soochow Creek is approximately Tls. 400,000 so the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs proposes that the Whangpoo Conservancy Board lend this money to the Chinese Woosung Kiang Conservancy Commission through the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai which body will deposit the fund in local reliable banks in the name of the "Fund for Woosung Kiang Dredging." Then according to his plan the native conservancy commission will make a contract with the Whangpoo Conservancy Board whereby the latter body will undertake the improvement work purely as a contracting concern. This is a round-about way of getting at the job but it will save the "sovereign rights of China," according to the statement of the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs. Why it should be necessary to follow this devious method in view of the fact that the Whangpoo Conservancy Board is itself a servant of the Chinese Government is hard to say, but in view of the fact that it is the first practical suggestion which has come from Chinese sources, it is to be hoped that the matter will not longer be allowed to drift.

The American commercial interests of Shanghai have up to the present taken little interest in this problem, but the acquisition in recent years of considerable land along the Soochow Creek by American firms has led them to become interested and recently it is reported that the American Chamber of Commerce of Shanghai has under consideration the appointment of a special committee to make a study of this subject. If this report is true, it will bring a new interest to bear on the matter which may be of considerable benefit in getting early action on the question.

-:- Correspondence -:-

NINGPO WITHIN THESE FEW YEARS

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: Under the conditions of struggle for existence, the organic matter may be allowed to live if it can pass through the natural selection, and otherwise, it would ruin, so far as the biological point of view is concerned. So do the nations and societies. By different centuries of war and peace, nations and dynasties have been changed. Cities have been reformed.

Ningpo, one of the old cities in the Eastern China, is located near the Eastern Sea on the Yung River of Chekiang Province. After the Opium War, she began to be one of the five treaty ports. But the development had been very slow before. Recently, the city has been greatly improved. By the help of the City Y.M.C.A. and missionaries, a great reformation has been made.

The education has been widely improved. Schools, both boys and girls have been extended and increased: such as that the Riverside Girls' Academy has been opened (1922, fall) by the union of Presbyterian and Baptist Girls' Academies so called before. Her high buildings with five stories stand by the Yung River. Her campus is widely extended to the city wall in south and river in north. Students' body and faculty have been greatly enlarged. The two missions work together plan together, and co-operate together. The Ningpo Middle School was united (1923, spring) from old Presbyterian and Baptist Boys' Academies. After their union, a bright spirit has been shown out from her to the society of Ningpo. Since 1919, a Chinese Literary Contest Society has been organised under the auspices of the City "Y." All the middle schools, boys and girls, missionary and Governmental may take part in it. The contest is held every year in November or December. Daily Vacation Bible Schools began in Ningpo at 1919. Every summer vacation, a great number of boys and girls students serve and teach voluntarily. Thousands of illiterate children are interested in studying in these schools. Chinese Arithmetic, Bible, Play, Hygiene, Manual-work, Drawing and Common knowedge are taught. Six weeks are the constant period for the schools. Besides, schools for poor, (Popular Education Schools) evening schools and half-day schools are opened anywhere gradually. Blessed are those poor, illiterate business men and ladies for they have broad opportunities to get education.

Physical Education is also greatly improved. The Ningpo Scholastic Athletic Association has been organized since September. There will be held an athletic contest every year. Such a purpose as afore-mentioned, like a rudder will hold the students to have a close sympathy among different schools and to have a variety of healthful interests, to which they can cultivate a taste to playing games. As it is known that the physical education is the basis of mental and intellectual improvement. And nation's foundation is on the sound bodies of people. Ningpo will be going on brightly, if the people in the city have splendid healthy bodies, by which the society is served.

In view of the spiritual side, Ningpo may be proud to say that the Christianity has been transported in since seventy five years. Recently, students do a great deal of preaching and social work to help the ministers as they look out plainly that it is their duty as well as their opportunity of training how to serve. Sunday schools, children's meeting, bible schools, open-air preaching, etc. are their works. Missions open social centers in different parts of the streets. In these institutes, reading rooms, speeches, schools for social education are provided. Sometimes entertainment, social meeting and great preaching meeting are held there. Peoples in the urbans or vicinity may get a lot of chance to enjoy themselves there.

Futher more, Ningpo, in some respects of view has a great future promise: such as that the Ningpo Middle School will have to buy a larger piece of ground for new campus on account of the too crowd of the old school buildings. Hwa Ma Hospital, outside the north gate, (The Baptist Hospital) has raised a great fund for building a bigger hospital. Y.M.C.A. will build her house as soon as she gets a big contribution.

In conclusion, Ningpo, in accordance with her blessed location, glorious history, quick improvement, young activity, and promised future will surely get her ideal victory among the struggle of existence.

Yours truly,
LI YIEN YUOH.

Stimulating Discourses

WITH EXCERPTS FROM GREAT THINKERS

By Mathy

THE CRIME OF THE "BLUES"

Faith is the great antidote for worry. We fear because we can not see the way. Faith sees the way.

"'Tis easy enough to be pleasant
When life nows on like a song,
But the man worth while is the man with a smile
When everything goes dead wrong.'

A troubled brain cannot think clearly, vigorously, logically. Worry clogs the brain and paralyses the thought.

"Talk health. The dreary, never-ending tale
Of mortal maladies is worn and stale.
You can not charm or interest or please
By harping on that minor chord, disease.
"Talk happiness. The world is sad enough without your woe."

The man who can smile when things go wrong has a tremendous advantage over the person whose courage collapses just as soon as he is in a hard place. The man who can smile when everything seems to go against him shows that he is made of winning material, for no ordinary man can do this.

Carlyle says that some people are rich in the power to be miserable. Such people seem to have a genius for radiating mental poison. They project their gloom into your mind in spite of your efforts to protect yourself. They insist that they were born so, that they can not help having the "blues" and being despondent.

But this is all nonsense. No one was born to be miserable, to bring gloom into the world, or to make others unhappy. It was intended that we should all be joyously happy.

You have no more right to go about among your fellows with a vinegary expression on your face, radiating mental poison, spreading the germs of doubt, fear, discouragement, and despondency upon them, than you have to inflict bodily injuries. You have no more right to poison other people's happiness than their bodies.

It is a strange fact that many people are always at home to the "blues." Whenever a fit visits them, it seems to be welcome. They retail their miseries, go over and over their misfortunes, describe the symptoms of their suffering, their poverty, dwell upon all the hideous details, and tell everybody how cruel fate has been to them. They appear to have a morbid love for contemplating what has embittered their lives and hampered their progress. Thus they are always unconsciously etching these pictures of their thought enemies deeper and deeper into their character.

I know one of these victims of the "blues," a man who has such a genius for making other people miserable that it makes one blue to look at him. You would think by his expression that he were bearing on his shoulders all the troubles of mankind. It is difficult to smile or feel serene in his presence. No matter how enthusiastic or joyful you may be, his icy expression and discouraging conversation his doubts and pessimism, chill you. Every time I go near him I feel as though I were running out of the sunshine into a dungeon.

The Creator placed us on this beautiful earth to be glad, not sad, not to go moping, whining, complaining, spreading pessimism, and peddling misery among our fellows.

"A cheerful, intelligent face," Emerson tells us, "is the end of culture." Every now and then we catch a glimpse of such a face, a face which has a light that was never on sea or land, which convinces us that the possessor has been in communion with something divine: a face so serene, calm, and cheerful that it makes us feel that we have had a glimpse into "the holy of holies." But how few such faces there are, compared with the number of sad, gloomy ones!

There is no place in civilisation for the morose, gloomy, or despondent man. Nobody wants to live with him. Everybody is dejected and depressed in his presence, and tries to get away from him.

A melancholy, worrying mind encourages the development of disease by destroying the resisting power, and makes the body susceptible to it.

There is nothing more contagious than mental depression and the "blues."

How often we have seen a cheerful, optimistic, radiant soul enter a room where there was sadness, discouragement, despondency, and revolutionise every one present by the contagion of his irresistible humor, his laughter and fun-loving nature!

People who have periodical fits of the "blues" seem possessed by spirits of evil. It is impossible for them during such times to be civil, to say nothing of being courteous and kind, even to members of their family. They seem to think that when they are "blue" and discouraged they are excused from ordinary self-control, and they give vent to their feelings and make everybody miserable.

A great many people fail to reach a success which matches their ability because they are victims of their moods, which repel people and discourage business.

We avoid morose, gloomy people just as we avoid a picture which makes a disagreeable impression upon us. We instinctively turn to those who are beautiful, harmonious, sunny-souled.

People like and believe in us in proportion to our agreeableness and helpfulness. A morbid mind usually means a warped, twisted judgment.

Sometimes an entire household becomes infected by the presence of one sour, morose, discontented member. He is never satisfied with the weather, or with the plans of the rest of the family. He never wants to go out when or where the others do: when they want to drive in one direction, he is sure to want to go in some other one. In fact, his desires and plans are always opposed to theirs. He is out of harmony with his environment: he has no pleasure in common with any one about him. He is not only unhappy himself, but he prevents others from enjoying themselves.

Editorial Comments

Quite an optimistic note was sounded a few days ago by the President of the Penang Chamber of Commerce regarding the healthy state of the trade of that port. It is hardly surprising that the Penang merchants should be exulting over the better times they are experiencing. This is simply due to the better prices being commanded for two of the commodities on which the prosperity of the Federated Malay States depends, namely rubber and tin. We are told that the exports of tin from Penang during the first half of this year constituted a record, due to the Straits Trading Company delivering a considerable portion of the Singapore sales of tin from the Company's smelting works at Butterworth. Under the Bandeong Agreement each of the four corporations who were signatories to the Pool is allowed to release five percent of the holdings monthly. In both cases the thanks of the mercantile community in the Federated Malay States are due to the Government, who came to the rescue of the markets when the situation in the country looked decidedly ugly. In the case of tin, the F.M.S. Government bought large quantities of tin at prices higher than should have been paid. With regard to rubber the Steavenson Restriction scheme helped to put the rubber industry on its feet once more.

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COME WITH ME I'LL TELL HIM A FEW THINGS!
BY GOLLY THESE GUYS AROUND HERE OUGHT TO ALL WEAR THEM SUITS THEY ALL THROW A LOT OF BULL
OH! JULIA!
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The Moon's Heat And Light

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS.

Standing under the full moon in August, at the edge of a park bordered with tall pines, whose shadows stretched far across the brightly illuminated lawn, while their fragrant needles, bedded under my feet, glowed like bronze floor in the checkered shadow cast by the moonlight, I stretched my open palms toward the brilliant orb, whose rays dazzled my eyes, and asked myself:

Why do not my hands feel the heat of the moon when its light so powerfully affects my eyes? Its angular dimensions it is as large as the sun. From its gleaming round face the visual radiation pours with such intensity, and abundance that the tree-tops are all lustrously silvered by it, the round back of yonder hill is as plainly visible as by day, and the atmosphere is filled with diffuse moonlight so that even the largest stars are dimmed as if hidden in a mist. When I project my hand from the deep shadow that under the trees restores to night its darkness appears with startling distinctness, and yet there is not the slightest sensation or suggestion of heat. The coolness of the night is not tempered by any heat.

Is it because the moon sends off proportionally less heat than light from the flood of the sun's radiation? Let us see what experimental science has to say about that. Careful investigation has shown that the amount of full moonlight is about one 618,000th of the amount of sunlight.

In other words, the moon's light is more than six hundred thousand times fainter than the light of the sun, although it is capable of making a mimic day of night, except in the shadows, which are wonderfully dark. This being the fact, one would expect to find the heat of the full moon to be a still smaller fraction of the sun's heat. From the observed effects, one would say that surely the moon's heat must be millions of times less than the sun's.

But what is the result given by experiment? So far from being less, it turns out that the moon's heat is proportionately greater than its light! While reflecting only one 618,000th part of the solar light received upon its surface, the full moon radiates and reflects as much as one 158,000th of the heat and some investigators have said even more—one-80,000th according to Lord Rosse. Accepting the smaller estimate, we find that the proportion of heat sent off by the moon is about three and a half times greater than the proportion of reflected light.

This curious fact seems only to deepen the mystery. Evidently the solution must be sought in ourselves, in our physical organisation, which is such that the sense of vision far exceeds in sensitivity that of touch, to which we owe the perception of heat. If our skin were as sensitive to the waves of heat as the retina of our eyes is to light we might find a delicious balminess of temperature in full moonlight, while we would be unable to endure the sunshine at all.

The heat rays, or the rays that produce heat, issue from the sun, intermingled with those from which light is derived. But they are of longer wave-length and less frequency of vibration. Arrived at the moon, they produce molecular agitation in the surface layers of the bare lunar rocks, but this agitation does not extend deep, and most of the heat is very quickly radiated away again. A smaller part is directly reflected. The short length lightwaves, on the other hand, suffer proportionally greater absorption or extinguishment at the moon's surface. Some parts of that surface, as in the singularly obscure oval called "Plato," and the larger expanse known as "Grimaldi," are evidently as dark in color as dark slate rock, while there are a few brilliant places, such as the wall and central peak of the crater-mountain "Aristarchus," and the pinnacle named "Proclus," which are as brilliantly reflective as snow.

In fact "Aristarchus" is almost like a mountain of crystal. Probably different portions of the moon's surface vary in heat absorbing, radiating, and reflecting power, just as a lunar observer with sufficiently sensitive thermo-electric instruments might notice that the Sahara desert sent proportionally more heat to the moon than the Amazonian forests.

VERSE AND WORSE

DESTINATIONS

They follow roads who know how
dear they are,
Never adventurous trails or
crossways mark
A turning to the day or to the
dark
But they must go impatient for a
star:
They follow wind who know a ship
at sea,
A tug is music to them and a
smack
A thing of glory when a dawn
creeps back
Over a curve of harbor to quay.

So earth and water hold a man in
awe,
And some must go the wideness
of the sky,
And others hasten to where
vessels lie,
Each answering to a purpose or a
law.
You to the mountains I will
never know,
I to the sea where salty barges
go.

HAROLD VINAL.

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SONG TO BE SAID AT DAYBREAK

"But when she broke my heart
the cleft
Set free the imprisoned god."
—Alfred Noyes.

I cannot think of other things for
thinking of desire
To burn a woman's brows and
breast with kisses flown with
fire;
Nor all the books of all the east
and western sages', too,
Can aught avail to comfort me
while this is yet to do.

Beneath the lighted groins of
right I sit and cannot speak
Of gargoyles wrought in Gothic
stone or griffins carved in
Greek,
But only of a woman's grace;
among the stars I see
The bright and bitter beauty of a
face that mocks at me.

But I will be a falconer, a trainer
just and wise,
And I will break my heart to
hawk at bees and butterflies;
And, let it fly at random check or
clip on lawful wings,
I'll ride the world in hunting
green and think of other
things!

THE KING OF THE
BLACK ISLES.

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THE DAUGHTERS OF DISILLUSION

The girls that are singing today—
Of what despair is their art?
Are their faces bitter and fey
With the iron at the heart?

Were the grapes unripe and sour
That gave so acid a wine?
Did they have no sun in their
hour?
Were the snows so long on the
vine?

(Their eyes are frigid and clear
That turn to our troubled days;
There is no illusion or fear
In the enigmatic gaze.)

Are the strings of steel alone
On the newly-fashioned harp,
That the songs are colder than
stone,
That the music is so sharp?

Was it thorn alone that crowned
Each young and beautiful head?
And what mirage have they found
That its dust is sweeter than
bread"

GEORGE STERLING.

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SUMMER EVENINGS

There is no time I ever loved so
well
As those long summer evenings
passed with you.
In memory's hall their presence
seems to dwell
And brightens up the day with
light anew.

They were but rainbows shining
after rain,
A bridge of hope, frail castles in
the air,
To which I clung—not knowing
'twas in vain
And that you did not, or you
could not, care.

And so each year, when summer
breezes blow,
The same old restless longing
comes to me,
From out the distant years of long
ago,
And fills me with its wondrous
ecstasy.

STARLIGHT.

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SONG

Out of the black,
The bars;
Out of the cup,
The stars;
Out of the east,
The sun;
Into the west—
All's done.

Out of the travail,
Rest;
Out of the fears
Confessed,
Hope, like a spark
That grew—
Hope in the thought
Of you!

MAURICE MORRIS.

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RONDEAU

A clever ruse it was, my dear,
To bring your sparkling life and
cheer
To one grown old and sad and
gray
Who longed for life and youth and
play,
But feared to face youth's ready
sneer.

And, oh, for long you seemed
sincere,
And practiced all that might
endear
Yourself to me, you were so gay—
A clever ruse.

Though now my vision's far more
clear,
The pain will last for many a year.
To think that you could so
betray—
An idol, built with feet of clay,
Your beauty but a thin veneer
A clever rouge.

GEORGE O. SCHOONHOVEN.

Words From The Lips Of Wise Men

Affect not to despise beauty, no one is free from its dominion; But regard it not a pearl of price: It is fleeting as the bow in the clouds.—Tupper.

Now is now—here, but tomorrow is nowhere.

A little knowledge is a dangerous thing;
Drink deep, or taste not the Pierian spring.
These shallow draughts intoxicate the brain,
And drinking largely sobers us again.—Pope.

A little of everything is nothing in the main.

Knowledge is not found unsought.

The timid never set up a trophy.

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S.N. Co.'s S.S. TUCKWO, 3,770 tons, Captain Campbell, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, November 27. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Depart ments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGYU, Capt. Johannssen will leave on Tuesday, Nov. 27, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGYUNG, Captain Smith, will leave on Wednesday, Nov. 28, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUTWO 2,664 Tons, Captain Dowson, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, November 29, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LOONGWO, 3,925 Tons, Captain Holmwood, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, November 30, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. PINGWO, 2671 Tons, Captain Pellew, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Saturday, December 1, at about midnight this vessel is specially constructed for the carriage of Heavy and Bulky cargo. For Freight apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extension to Freight Department.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,868 tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, December 3, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S.N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the abovementioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Tuesday, December 4, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Tuesday, Nov. 27, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & MANILA.—The Hugo Stinnes Linien steamer ADOLF VON BAEYER, Captain Heyer, 9,000 tons, will be despatched for Hongkong and Manila, en route to Europe, on or about the 28th November p.m. For further particulars as to passage please apply to the Hugo Stinnes Linien, Ostasien-Fahrt, 58 Kiangse Road. Telephone C. 6556.

For Northern Ports

CHINWANGTAO Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatched the steamer KAIPING, on November 28, 1923. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 12 The Bund, Tel. C. 317.

TIENTSIN & DAIREN.—The O.S.K.'s Cargo and Pasesnger Steamer FUKUKEN MARU, 5,000 tons, Captain T. Nanbu, will be despatched from O.S.K. Wharf on November 28, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to THE OSAKA SHOSEN KAISHA, No. 2 Canton Road. Phone C. 4234.

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINMING, Captain Taylor, will leave on Wednesday morning, Nov. 28. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

For Foreign Ports

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Meteorological Report

November 27, 1923.
Sun rises today at 6.34
Sun sets today at 16.59

SICAWEI

	Nov. 20.		Nov. 21.	
	16 h.	21 h.	4 h.	9 h.
Barometer (inches)	30.21	30.26	30.17	30.20
(variation for 24 hours	+0.06	−0.02	−0.01	−0.12
at 32° F. (variation for 12 hours	−0.07	−0.06	−0.04	−0.06
Wind—Direction	WNW	WNW	WNW	SSW
Wind—Miles per hour	4.3	5.0	12.4	9.9
Temperature (Fahr.)	50°4	38°9	39°8	54°3
Humidity %	36	82	95	76
Nebulosity (0-10)	0	0	0	0
Rainfall, inches	—	—	—	—

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT
November 20.

		Mean 1923.	24 hrs. variation.	Previous average (50 yrs.) same period.
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Min. 33°1) (Max. 56°7)	30.27	+0.13	30.28
30.26	−0.02 30.22	44°9	−15°6	50°8
Rainfall since January 1 (ending midnight)		39.38	0.00	43.84

Shipping Items

RIVER PORTS

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s Yusang is expected to return from Pukow tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Pingwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangteen will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Wenchow will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai next Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangshun will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Shantung left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai on Wednesday.

The C.M. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong on Sunday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang left Hongkong yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Swatow on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Tingsang will leave Hongkong for Tientsin tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi was expected to leave Foochow yesterday and arrives in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Luchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai next Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Wosang will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai via Swatow next Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Kwanglee left Hongkong on Sunday, and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Kwongsang will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai via Swatow next Monday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Taisang is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao today.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Tsingtao on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchang left Tientsin for Lungkow, Hongkong and Canton on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Fengtien left Tientsin on Sunday and arrives in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Tsingtao today and is due in Shanghai next Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Newchwang on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Fausang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei next Saturday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Chohei Maru arrived in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao yesterday morning, and docked at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer will sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji tomorrow, and docks at the N. Y. K. Mail Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Orissa was expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai via Kobe yesterday.

The B.I. s.s. Takada from, Calcutta, is expected to leave Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai on Friday, November 30.

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan, from Bombay, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai next Friday.

EUROPEAN LINES

The Blue Funnel s.s. Helenus left Kobe on November 20, and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama and Otaru next Thursday.

The P. and O. s.s. Khiva, from London on October 27, was erpected to leave Singapore on Sunday and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong about December 6.

The P. and O. s.s. Kalyan will leave Shanghai for London via ports this afternoon, and the tender with passengers for the vessel is to leave the Customs jetty at noon.

The Ben Line s.s. Benlomond left Hongkong on Wednesday and is due in Shanghai today.

The Ben Line s.s. Benarty left Penang on November 18, and is expected in Shanghai on Dec. 8.

The Ben Line s.s. Benmacdhui, from London on November 2, is expected in Shanghai on Dec. 27.

The Ben Line s.s. Benavon, from London on November 16, is expected in Shanghai on Jan. 10.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Dardanus left Singapore on November 23, and is due in Shanghai via Hongkong next Saturday.

The M.M. s.s. Chambord arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles yesterday afternoon and docked at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf. The liner will sail for Kobe and Yokohama on December 7.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Katori Maru will leave Shanghai for London via ports at daybreak Saturday, and the tender with passengers for the vessel will leave the Customs jetty at 5 o'clock Friday evening.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar left London at 2 p.m. on November 23, and is expected to arrived in Shanghai about January 2.

AMERICAN LINES

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson was due to leave Seattle on Thursday, and arrives in Shanghai via Japan ports on Dec. 9.

The Dollar s.s. M.S. Dollar left San Francisco on October 31, and is due in Shanghai via Yokohama about the end of November.

The P.M. s.s. President Wilson is due to leave San Francisco tomorrow, and is expected in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on December 17.

The Clumbia Pacific s.s. West Jessup arrived in Shanghai from Portland, Oregon on Saturday and will sail for the same port via Hongkong and Manila today.

The Columbia Pacific s.s. Pawlet arrived in Shanghai from Portland Oregon, on Saturday and will sail for the same port via Tsingtao, Takubar and Dairen tomorrow.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia is due to leave Vancouver next Thursday, and arrives in Shanghai via Japan ports on Dec. 15.

The P.M. s.s. President Cleveland, from San Francisco on November 20, was to leave Honolulu yesterday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Japan ports on December 10.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft is due in Shanghai from San Francisco via Honolulu and Japan ports at daylight tomorrow morning, and docks at the China Merchants Lower Wharf. The liner will sail for Hongkong and Manila on Thursday noon, one day ahead of schedule.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jackson is due in Shanghai from Seattle this afternoon and docks at the China Merchants Central Wharf at 3 o'clock. The vessel brings 1,882 bags of mail, 2,200 tons of cargo and passengers for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 1 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

President Cleveland	Oct. 27
Tenyo Maru	Oct. 30
India Arrow	Nov. 1
Tahchee	Nov. 7
Korea Maru	Nov. 8
President Pierce	Nov. 10
President Lincoln	Nov. 24
Shinyo Maru	Nov. 24

FOR VANCOUVER

Empress of Asia	Oct. 28
Empress of Canada	Nov. 20

FOR SEATTLE

Eldridge	Oct. 23
Manila Maru	Oct. 23
President Jefferson	Oct. 28
King Cadwalton	Nov. 2
Canadian Skirmisher	Nov. 3
Africa Maru	Nov. 4
Iyo Maru	Nov. 9
President Grant	Nov. 9
Hawaii Maru	Nov. 15
President Madison	Nov. 21

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.

Alcinous	Oct. 21
West Niger	Nov. 2
West Cayote	Nov. 8
Rigi	Nov. 1
West Jester	Nov. 14

FOR COLUMBIA

Mary Horlock	Nov. 3

FOR NEW YORK

Hague Maru	Oct. 27
Suruga	Oct. 28
Slavic Prince	Oct. 31
City of Oran	Nov. 2
Taketoyo Maru	Nov. 6
Teucer	Nov. 10
Bolton Castle	Nov. 10
Heffron	Nov. 13
Ajax	Nov. 20
Eastern Prince	Nov. 25

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Atreus	Oct. 25
Kitano Maru	Oct. 27
Memnon	Oct. 30
Caledonia	Oct. 30
Teiresias	Nov. 1
Nellore	Nov. 2
Glenogle	Nov. 3
Haruna Maru	Nov. 3
City of Hankow	Nov. 7
Adrastas	Nov. 8
Doric Star	Nov. 10
Malwa	Nov. 13
Glaucus	Nov. 15
Kamo Maru	Nov. 19
Nyanza	Nov. 21

FOR HAMBURG

Weser	Oct. 21
Paris Maru	Oct. 21
London Maru	Oct. 27
Amazon Maru	Nov. 7
Havelland	Nov. 15
Pfalz	Nov. 17

FOR ROTTERDAM

Oostkerk	Nov. 10

FOR AMSTERDAM

Ouderkerk	Nov. 16

FOR COPENHAGEN

Chile	Nov. 2
Malte	Nov. 20

FOR MARSEILLES

Angers	Oct. 26
Chili	Nov. 10
Porthos	Nov. 23

FOR TRIESTE

Venezia	Nov. 2

FOR INDIA

Kutsang	Nov. 5
Sicilia	Nov. 11
Tanda	Nov. 24

Steamers Arrived

November 24

Kanchow from Hongkong.

November 25

Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo.
Hsin Peking from Ningpo.
Taito Maru from Amoy.
City of Karachi from Japan.
Ningpo from Swatow.
R. F. S. Craonne from Cruise.
Fiume L. from Japan.
Tuckwo from Hankow.
Kiangyu from Hankow.
Tungting from Hankow.
Tafoo Maru from Hankow.
Nanning from Chefoo.
Fuji Maru from Tsngtao.
Tungchow from Tientsin.
Holland Maru from Hongkong.
Oanfa from New York.
Calchas from Liverpool.
Levant Arrow from U. S. A.
Fukuken Maru from Foochow.

November 26.

Chohei Maru from Dairen.
Futami Maru from Japan.
Taiyo Maru from Chefoo.
Aso Maru from Japan.
Wakamatsu Maru from Japan.
Taksang from Hongkong.
Loongmow from Chungking.
Shanghai Maru from Japan.
City of Paris from London.
Meinan from Ningpo.
Woosung from Hankow.
Kiangyung from Hankow.
Chambord from Marseilles.
U.S.S. Pidegon from Cruise.
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Soochow from Hongkong.
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S.S. "MANILA MARU" ..... Jan. 12
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S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" (Direct to Tientsin) Nov. 28
S.S. "KOHOKU MARU" (Via Tsingtao) ..... Dec. 9
FOR FORMOSA. For Keelung an Takao via Foochow.
S.S. "SEIKYO MARU" ..... Dec. 5
S.S. "FUKUKEN MARU" ..... Dec. 13
FOR JAPAN, DIRECT.
S.S. "SHINYO MARU" (For Kobe) ..... Dec.
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E/Australia	Dec. 24	Jan. 9	E/Russia	Aug. 2	Aug. 18
E/Asia	Jan. 12	Jan. 28	E/Australia	Aug. 18	Sept. 3
E/Russia	Feb. 9	Feb. 25	E/Asia	Aug. 30	Sept. 15
E/Australia	Feb. 25	Mar. 12	E/Canada	Sept. 15	Sept. 29
E/Asia	Mar. 15	Mar. 31	E/Russia	Sept. 27	Oct. 13
E/Russia	Apr. 5	Apr. 21	E/Australia	Oct. 13	Oct. 29
E/Australia	Apr. 21	May 7	E/Asia	Oct. 25	Nov. 10
E/Asia	May 10	May 26	E/Canada	Nov. 10	Nov. 24
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FOR HONGKONG and MANILA

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Omi Maru .....Dec. 1
Nikko Maru .....Dec. 5
Yamashiro Maru ....Dec. 8

FOR BOMBAY via HONGKONG.
Tamba Maru .....Dec. 24

FOR SEATTLE VIA VICTORIA B. C.
Yokohama Maru .... Dec. 16
Kaga Maru .....Jan. 12

FOR SOUTH AMERICA VIA Cape From Kobe.
Kawachi Maru .. ..Dec 13

FOR EUROPE
Katori Maru .....Dec. 1
*Tayohashi Maru .....Dec. 2
*Dakar Maru .....Dec. 12
Atsuta Maru .....Dec. 15
Kashima Maru .....Dec. 29

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fall, at spring 3¾ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 13m.	7ft. 0in.	2h. 29m.	9ft. 4in.

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(The evening tides are higher than the morning tides.)
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A.M.		P.M.	
1	11	1	23

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Mon		Sun		Daylight	Dark
Rises	Sets	Rises	Sets		
8.10 p.m.	9.21 a.m.	6h. 37m.	4h. 57m.	5h. 52m.	5h. 42m.

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Kaisar-I-Hind Dec. 25	Kashgar ...Feb. 5	Naldera ...Mar. 18

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Mail Steamers	Next sailing from Marseilles	Probable sailing for Kobe and Yokohama	Probable sailing for Marseilles
ANGKOR			7th Dec.
CHAMBORD	19th Oct.	9th Dec.	31st Dec.
PAUL LECAT	2nd Nov.	23rd Dec.	4th Jan.
ANDRE LEBON	16th Nov.	6th January	18th Jan.
AMBOISE	30th Nov.	20th Jan.	1st Feb.
CORDILLERE	14th Dec.	3rd Feb.	15th Feb.

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Nov. 27 — Seattle	Shidzuoka M'	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 27 — Portland, Ore.	West Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 28 — Portland, Ore.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 30 — New York via Suez	C. of Corinth	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 1 — New York	Takaoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 2 — New York	Takaoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 3 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 3 — Seattle	†P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 6 — New oYrk via Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 12 — Portland, Ore.	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — Portland, Ore.	W. Nomentum	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — San Francisco	†Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 15 — Seattle	†P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 16 — Seattle	Yokohama Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 17 — San Francisco	†Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 19 — New York via Suez	Calchas	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 19 — Tacoma	Arabia M.	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 20 — Vancouver	C. Freighter	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 22 — New York	Havana Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Dec. 24 — Vancouver	†E. of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
Dec. 27 — Seattle	†P. Jefferson	AM. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 27 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 3 — San Francisco	†P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 5 — New York	Havre Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 8 — Seattle	†P. Grant	AM. Adl. O. Line
Jan. 12 — Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br. C. P. S.
Jan. 12 — Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 13 — San Francisco	Tenyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Jan. 19 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. Co
Jan. 20 — Seattle	†P. Madison	AM. Adl. O. Line
Feb. 4 — San Francisco	†P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Nov. 27 - Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 29 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Nov. 30 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 5 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Nikko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 7.— Kobe Yokohama	Chambord	Fr. M. M. Cie
Dec. 8 — Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap. N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Oanfa	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 noon London	†Kalyan	Br. M.M. & Co.
Nov. 27 — Liverpool	Keemun	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 28 Hamburg	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
Nov. 29 — Hamburg, etc.	Machaon	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 29 — Scandinavia	Afrika	Dan. E. A. Co.
Nov. 31 — Hamburg	Hindenburg	Ger. H. S. Line
Dec. 1 6.00 *London	†Katori Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 1 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Karachi	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 2 — London	Toyohashi M	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 3 — Hamburg	Glenamoy	Br. G.L.E.A.
Dec. 4 — Bombay	Tamba Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 5 — Hamburg	Amur Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 6 — Hamburg	Ermland	Ger. H. A. Line
Dec. 6 — London	Barpedon	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 7 — Marseilles	†Angkor	Fr. M. M Cie
Dec. 8 — Bombay	†Soudan	Br. M. M. Co.
Dec. 9 — Hamburg, etc.	Amur Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 10 — Hamburg, etc.	C. of Tokio	Br. J.M. & Co.
Dec. 11 — Hamburg etc.	Glengarry	Br. G. L. E. A.
Dec. 11 — London	†Devanha	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 12 — Hamburg, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 13 — Liverpool	Ningchow	Br. B.& S.
Dec. 13 — Hamburg, etc.	Helenus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 15 — London	Atsuta M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 19 — Hamburg, etc.	Autolycus	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 21 — Marseilles	†Chambord	Fr. M.M. Cie
Dec. 24 — Rotterdam	Zosma	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Dec. 25 — London	†Kaiser-I-Hind	Br. M.M. & Co.
Dec. 26 — Hamburg, etc.	Dardanus	Br. B.& S.
Dec. 26 — Liverpool,	Diomed	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 27 — Hamburg, etc.	†Kashima M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Dec. 27 — London	Glenapp	Br. G.L.E.A.
Jan. 3 — London	Patroclus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 4 — Marseilles	†Paul Lecat	Fr M. M. Cie
Jan. 7 — Hamburg, etc.	Menelaus	Br. B. & S.
Jan. 8 — London	†Khiva	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 9 — Antwerp, etc.	Alps Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Jan. 18 — Marseilles	†Amboise	Fr. M.M. Cie
Jan. 18 — Marseilles	†A. Lebon	Fr. M. M. Cie
Jan. 22 — London	†Macedonia	Br. M.M. & Co.
Jan. 31 — London	Mentor	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 5 — London	†Kashgar	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 15 — Marseilles	†Cordillere	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 19 — London	†Morea	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 4 — London	†Karmala	Br. M.M. & Co.
Mar. 18 — London	†Naldera	Br. M. M. & Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA FROM HONGKONG

Dec. 1 — Melbourne, etc.	†Eastern	Br. B. M. & Co.
Dec. 19 — Melbourne, etc.	†Tango Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Jan. 5 — Melbourne, etc.	†Arafura	Br. M.M. & Co.
Feb. 2 — Melboure, etc.	†St. Albans	Br. M.M. & Co.

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Nov. 27 5.00 Ningpo	Yungshin	Chi. N. S. N.
Nov. 27 — Hongkong, Manila	W. Jessup	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 27 1.00 S. H'kong, C'ton	Nanning	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 28 D.L. S. H'kong, C'ton	Taisang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 28 — Hongkong, Manila	A. von Baeyer	Ger. H. S. Line
Nov. 28 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. C.P.S.
Nov. 28 5.00 Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 28 8.00 Foochow	Ningshin	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co
Nov. 29 1.00 Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Nov. 29 2.00 A. H'kong, C'ton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 29 noon Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Nov. 30 2.00 S. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 30 — Hongkong, etc.	M. S. Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
Dec. 1 — Hongkong, Manila	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Dec. 1 3.00 A. H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 5 — Hongkong	Taiyo M.	Jap. T.K.K.
Dec. 5 — Keelung, etc.	Seikyo Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Dec. 11 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Dec. 12 — Hongkong, Manila	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
Dec. 14 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Dec. 15 — Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br. C.P.S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Nov. 27 1.00 C. T'tsin, Dairen	Ningpo	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 3.00 W. C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 28 3.00 Dairen	Fukuken Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Nov. 28 — Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K. M. A.
Nov. 28 D.L. Tsingtao	Taksang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 28 — Dairen, etc.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
Nov. 28 9.00 *Tsingtao, Dairen	Chohei Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Nov. 28 1.00 Tientsin	Kiukiang	Br. B.& S.
Nov. 28 — Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 29 D.L. W. C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 2 D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Chusan	Br. B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tungting	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 27 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tehhsing	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co
Nov. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 28 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 29 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 29 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Nov. 29 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Nov. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
Nov. 30 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 1 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 1 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Pingwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 2 D.L. Pukow	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 2 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kiangshun	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 3 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Dec. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Dec. 4 M.N. Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.

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The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Dec. 1	3 p.m.	E. of Russia	Vancouver	Dec. 17
Dec. 2	9 p.m.	P. Mckinley	Seattle	Dec. 19

TO SOUTHERN PORTS, INDIA AND EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Today	10 a.m.	Kalyan	Marseilles	Dec. 29
Nov. 28	9 p.m.	Machaon	Marseilles	
Nov. 30	3 p.m.	Katori M.	Marseilles	Jan. 4

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	11. a.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	11 a.m.	via Chita
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	1.30 p.m.	Tungchow
Tsingtao	Today	9 p.m.	Taksang
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	11.30 a.m.	Ningpo
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Hsinming
Tsingtao & Dalny	Nov. 28	7.30 a.m.	Chohei Maru
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Nov. 28	9 p.m.	Kingsing
Chefoo and Tientsin	Dec. 1	9 p.m.	Chusan

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	11.30 a.m.	Nanning
Hongkong & Canton	Today	10 a.m.	Kalyan
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Taisang
Hongkong & Canton	Nov. 28	8 p.m.	Machaon
Foochow	Nov. 28	6.30 p.m.	Ningshin
Hongkong & Canton	Nov. 29	11 a.m.	P. Jackson
Amoy	Nov. 29	12.30 p.m.	Sunning
Swatow	Nov. 30	12.30 p.m.	Soochow
Amoy	Dec. 1	1.30 p.m.	Sinkiang

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	11 a.m.	via Train.
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train.
Germany via ports	Nov. 28	8 p.m.	A. von Baeyer
Japan ports	Nov. 28	8 p.m.	Kumano Maru
Manila, Australia & N. Zealand	Nov. 29	11 a.m.	P. Jackson
Japan ports	Nov. 29	8 p.m.	Nagasaki M

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
FNB	Nov. 8	Algol	Fr. Sloop
1 C		Calabria	Ital. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 7	Fushima	Jap. Gun-boat
BNB	Nov. 3	Hawkins	Br. Cruiser
U.S.N.B.	Nov. 6	Helena	Am. Cruiser
McM.	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Bun-boat
McW.	Nov. 3	Peterafield	Br. Bun-boat
JNB	Nov. 26	Pidgeon	Am. Gun-boat
JNB	Nov. 26	Penguin	Am. Gun-boat
1 C	Nov. 20	Seb. Carboto	Ital. Gun-boat
EEW		Sumida	Jap. Gun-boat
EEW	Nov. 21	Toba	Jap. Gun-boat
STPDW		Woodlark	Br. Bun-boat

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Per M.M. s.s. Chambord from Marseilles: Messrs. Leblanc, Ferrer, Toche, Anderson, Colidin, Schlyter, Finet, Quere, Le Coz, Piel, Livermais, Deyres, Rev. P. Nanrion, Mr. and Mrs. Eckstein and child, Mrs. Tchou Chen Ze, Mr. and Mrs. Tang, Messrs. Ferrandi, Michel, Marcelli, Loiseleur, Contal, Carriere, Wang Kee Kang, J. Liao; from port Said: Miss Martin, Mr. Paul Mallon; from Penang: ...r. Victor Memel; from Singapore: Mr. J. C. Van Oyen; from Saigon: Mr. and Mrs. O'Neill, Mr. Gysin, Mrs. Lefevre and infant; from Hongkong: Mr. and Mrs. Ling and infant, Messrs. de Raymond, C. Ling, F. Gang, W. Gang, C. Len, J. Marcus, Mrs. H. L. Rawson, Messrs. T. Soong, C. Ku, P. Daneuberg, Li Pei-ying, Tcheng Kin-mou, Rev. Rr. Nizier, Mr. and Mrs. Pike and child.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Bishop Malony.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungchow from Tientsin: Major and Mrs. Tomlinson and two children, Mrs. E. P. Wolfe, Miss Ashbidge Thomlinson, Messrs. S. Clarke, L. G. Williams; from Chefoo: Mrs. Bird and child, Mr. C. H. Coates and three children; from Weihaiwe. Mr and Master Frost.

Per C. M. s.s. Kiangyu from Hankow and ports: Mr. Junius B. Wood.

Per I-C. s.s. Tuckwo from Hankow and ports: Mr. J. C. Parkin, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Daniels.

Per C.N. s.s. Kanchow from Hongkong: Mr. A. L. Powell.

Per C.N. s.s. Tungting from Hankow and ports: Mrs. G. B. Bailey.

Passengers Departed

Per I-C. s.s. Suiwo for Kiukiang: Major and Mrs. D. P. Lea-Birch; for Hankow: Messrs. Van Wylick, Shutte, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hunter and two children.

Vessels Due

Benlomond, *London*,	Nov. 27
Carmarthenshire, *London*	Dec. 1
Dardanus, *Liverpool*	Dec. 1
D. D'Aosta, *Trieste*	Dec. 2
E. of Russia, *Hongkong*	Dec. 1
Fausang, *Tientsin*	Dec. 1
Fengtien, *Tientsin*	Nov. 28
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	Nov. 28
Helenus, *Kobe*	Nov. 29
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Nov. 27
Hsinfung, *Tientsin*	Nov. 30
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Nov. 28
Hsin Peking *Ningpo*	Nov. 28
Kiangkor, *Hankow*	Dec. 3
Kungyo *Hankow*	Dec. 2
Kwantung, *Hongkong*	Dec. 3
Kiangchun, *Hankow*	Dec. 1
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 28
Katori Maru, *Kobe*	Nov. 30
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Nov. 29
Kingsang, *Tientsin*	Nov. 27
Kiangteen, *Hankow*	Nov. 30
Kiangtung, *Hankow*	Nov. 26
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Nov. 27
Kumamo Maru, *Osaka*	Nov. 27
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Dec. 4
Kwangtee, *Hongkong*	Nov. 29
Luenji, *Hankow*	Dec. 3
Loksang, *Hongkong*	Dec. 1
Luchew, *Hongkong*	Dec. 1
Luenho, *Hankow*	Dec. 1
M. S. Dollar, *S. Francisco*	Nov. 30
Nikko Maru, *Osaka*	Dec. 2
Niigata Maru, *Nagoya*	Nov. 27
Ningshin, *Foochow*	Nov. 27
Nagasaki Maru, *Nagasaki*	Nov. 29
Nganhin, *Hankow*	Nov. 29
Omi Maru, *Osaka*	Nov. 28
Pres. McKinley, *Hongkong*	Dec. 2
Poyang, *Hankow*	Dec. 1
Pres. Taft, *S. Francisco*	Nov. 28
Pingwo, *Hankow*	Nov. 29
Pres. Jackson, *Seattle*	Nov. 27
Sakaki Maru, *Dairen*	Dec. 3
Soudan, *Bombay*	Dec. 4
Saiklo Maru, *Dairen*	Nov. 30
Shuntien, *Tientsin*	Dec. 2
Siberia Maru, *Hongkong*	Dec. 2
Suiyang, *Hongkong*	Dec. 2
Sinkiang, *Tsingtao*	Nov. 29
Shantung, *Hongkong*	Nov. 23
Shanghai Maru, *Nagasaki*	Dec. 3
Suiwo, *Hankow*	Dec. 4
Szechuen, *Hongkong*	Nov. 29
Taisang, *Tsingtao*	Nov. 27
Takada, *Calcutta*	Dec. 4
Toonan, *Newchwang*	Nov. 27
Tjiliwong, *Batavia*	Dec. 1
Takaoka Maru, *Hongkong*	Nov. 30
Tatung, *Hankow*	Nov. 28
Tsuruga Maru, *Europe*	Nov. 28
Tungshing, *Tientsin*	Nov. 29
Whangpu, *Hankow*	Dec. 4
Wosang, *Hongkong*	Dec. 2
Wuchang, *Hankow*	Dec. 2
Wenchow, *Hankow*	Nov. 30
Yokohama Maru, *Seattle*	Nov. 30
Yusang, *Pukow*	Nov. 28
Yungshin, *Ningpo*	Nov. 27
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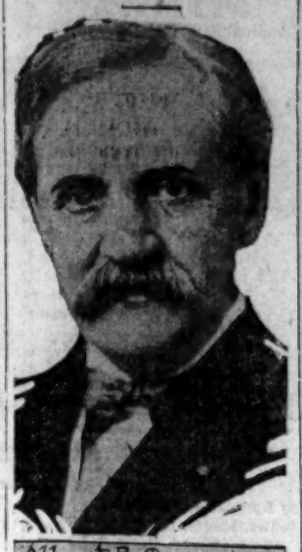
SEN. CUMMINGS REFUSES TO BECOME SENATE PRESIDENT

Will Remain At Head Of Interstate Commerce Commission



Albert B. Cummings

(Exclusive CHINA PRESS)

Washington, Nov. 26.—Senator Albert B. Cummings, Republican, of Iowa, has definitely refused to accept the presidency of the United States Senate, it was learned today, and party managers are now looking about for a staunch Republican to elect in his place at the caucus that will be held between now and the opening of Congress on December 3.

Senator Cummings was slated to be Senate President to succeed President Calvin Coolidge. Since the Vice-President, the hereditary president of the Senate, has succeeded to the White House it becomes necessary for a new presiding officer to be elected to assume his duties and Senator Cummings has been looked upon as his logical successor.

The Iowa Senator, however, has been informed that to be Senate President he must resign as Chairman of the Interstate Commerce Commission and has chosen to remain as head of the railway body despite the fact that his salary as Senate President would be $12,000.

If Senator Cummings retired as chairman Senator La Follette of Wisconsin would be his logical successor. Friends of Senator Cummins say he is willing to make any sacrifice rather than leave the transportation problems to be solved by such radicals as Senator La Follette. He feels, they say, that if the radicals get control of the Interstate Commerce Committee, they will block remedial legislation and will advocate measures tending to demoralize if not entirely cripple the railroads.

Shantung Outlaws Still Hold Priest As Captive

(China Press Correspondence)

Weihsien, Shantung, Nov. 21.—Details regarding the kidnapping by bandits of Father Frederic, a French priest near Changling, Shantung have just been received here.

On November 13, Bishop Wittner and Pere Louis Marie Frederic were at the village of Chang Chia Kou not far from the Changling station of the Kiachow-Tsinan Railway for the purpose of confirming Christians. Between two and three o'clock in the afternoon, bandits attacked the town and carried off Father Frederic. That night at about midnight, they returned and seized Bishop Wittner also.

The two captives were taken to Sie Shan, a lonely mountain about 25 li away, but the next morning the bishop was released. The bandits told the bishop that they did not wish to harm him or Father Frederic but that they had been surrounded by soldiers and could not escape, so they had to take them for their own protection. The bishop was asked to sign a letter promising to help get the bandits enlisted in the army and he was then permitted to go to Fang-tse to carry on negotiations for this purpose. Father Frederic

Bishop Wittner has received two

The bishop was told that there were 1,500 of the bandits, but he actually saw about 30.

Bishop Wittner has received two letters from Father Frederic, but no word has come from him for the last five days. The priest says he is being well treated but the bandits have threatened to kill him if the troops start to fight with them. The military officer at Kaomi requested that the matter be kept quiet for a few days to give him a chance to see what he can do in the matter.

Sie Shan the mountain where the two men were first taken is a high hill which stands out by itself on the east bank of the Hwai River. It is about 90 miles from Tsingtao. The mountain is situated not far from the borders of the several counties of Chang-I, Ankiu, Weihsien and Kaomi and the region has been infested with bandits for some time. There are also a number of bands of robbers further to the south in the neighborhood of the Chu-cheng Ankiu border. Some of these are said to number several hundred men.

ROBERT HOTUNG SUCCESSFUL IN LOYANG VISIT

Wu Pei-fu Is Favorably Impressed With His Peace Plan

Loyang, Nov. 20.—Sir Robert Hotung the noted Hongkong financier, left here for Honan today. He made a fine impression upon General Wu Pei-fu, who has openly endorsed his plan for a round table conference for internal peace.

In bidding Sir Robert farewell, General Wu stated that he was continuing his effort in effecting an understanding with General Lu Yung-hsiang of Hangchow, who was formerly his commanding officer under Marshal Tuan Chi-jui, but he was non-committal on the question raised by the visitor to conclude truce with Marshal Chang Tso-lin at Mukden.

Sir Robert is leaving here by a special car ordered for him by General Wu and will arrive in Kaifeng tomorrow. He is due in Peking on Saturday.

In connection with the assassination of General Hsu Kuo-liang at Shanghai, General Wu Pei-fu has telegraphed both to General Chi Shih-yuan and General Ho Feng-lin, asking them not to go to the extreme, while in another telegram, he urged Acting Premier Kao Ling-wei to bring about an amicable settlement of the deadlock at an early date.

Hangchow Man Issues Volume Of New Verse

The Commercial Press has just issued a volume of poems by Prof. Charles P. Barkman of Hangchow Christian College entitled "Peking And Other Poems" that will delight those particularly keen about verse descriptive of China and "Things Chinese."

Several excellent things are contained in the volume, some of them too long for reprinting. Two of the poems are reprinted below by permission of the author.

JOSS STICKS

Little joss stick there you burn,
telling tales of time,
Slowly spanning spells of space,
staging pantomime,
Pantomime that mocks our fears,
so sullied, yet sublime;

Little gnomon, chronolog, burning up the hours,
Slowly planting, one by one, aromatic flowers,
Left to bloom eternally, moist with memory's showers;

Little sandal-cedar stick, exhaling fragrant balm,
Slowly building perfume chains to hold the spirit calm,
As on the soul there falls a spell of aromatic psalm.

"WHERE MOUNTAINS WALKED."
(Kansu Earthquake, Dec. 16, 1920).

The mountains walked and hills plunged down to plains,
When loess landslides lunged through darkened night;
The far-flung dust and wind swept from the height,
And terror, loosed from all restraining chains,
Smote nature, man, and beast with piercing pains,
Through all Death Valley Life was put to flight;
On every hand there reigned a fearful sight,
While death was counting up his ghastly gains.
The plain where once the river wound his way,
Now lies far down beneath the shaken hill;
The villagers who once awaited day,
All-silently, are there awaiting still.
The multitudes stand dazed when mountains nod
And hill-tops tumble at the voice of God.

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Church Missionary Society Is Holding Sale Of Work Today

As announced last week as sale of work under the auspices of the Church Missionary Society will be held Today, Tuesday, November 27, at the residence of Mrs. Brooke-Smith, 97 Bubbling Well Road, from 10 to 12:30 and 2:30 to 6 o'clock. An attractive assortment of ladies' knitted garments, etc., and children's stockings and coats, as well as a variety of hand-made lace will be available at moderate prices.

15 Are Killed In Boiler Explosion

(Exclusive China Press)

Beaumont, Tek., Nov. 23.—Fifteen persons were killed and a score injured today in the explosion of a boiler at a sugar plantation at New Iberia, La., just across the Texas border.

Irish Republicans Quit Hunger Strike

(Reuter's Service)

London, Nov. 23.—It is learned in Dublin that the Republican prisoners have finally abandoned their hunger-strike.

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